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WRECK AT HAMLET FATAL FOR EIGHT

Crowded Excursion From Durham Crashed Into Wilmington Freight.

VICTIMS ARE ALL NEGROES

Sixty Were Injured Seriously and Twenty-Eight Slightly—Cause Unknown—Gruesome Scene Presented—Caring for Injured.

Charlotte, N. C., July 27.—Bearing 912 negroes from Durham, bound for Charlotte, for a day's outing, an excursion train on the Seaboard Air Line plunged head on into a freight train at Hamlet, sixty miles east of here, at 10:40 this morning, killing eight of the excursionists, injuring sixty seriously and twenty-eight slightly. The dead, all of Durham, are:

Edna Hall, Edith Hall, Lisbon Hall, Rosa Perry, Dora Day, Sis Webb, Samuel Miller and John Cameron.

Of the 60 seriously hurt a score or more may die. Four white trainmen were badly hurt. Engineer Ben Koonce, who was running the excursion engine, was mangled about the head and shoulders and injured internally; Engineer A. Taylor, of the freight train, injured internally and badly cut; Conductor W. H. Bowen, of the excursion train, had his side crushed and several ribs broken, and Albert Gary, fireman of the freight, was badly bruised and cut.

The cause of the wreck is unknown. The freight was creeping into the yards at Hamlet from Wilmington, when the excursion train, rounding the curve at good speed, crashed into it. The engines telescoped and six of the eleven coaches of the excursion train crumbled like paste board. The great carnage was in the third and fourth cars, which were old and frail.

Samuel Miller was asleep with his head in a window. The telescoping walls clipped off his head and it rolled into the ditch clear of the wreck.

Physicians from neighboring towns responded promptly and a field hospital was established. Fifty of the injured were brought to Charlotte tonight on a special train and placed in Mercy general and the Good Samaritan hospitals, while 30 odd were considered too critically hurt to be moved and are being cared for at Hamlet. The property loss to the Seaboard Air Line will be in excess of $100,000.

Just five years ago, this month, within one mile of the scene of today's disaster, a similar wreck occurred, in which 26 negroes met death.

Another Account.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Hamlet, July 27.—One of the worst wrecks ever experienced by the Seaboard Air Line, occurred right in front of the Hamlet round house at 10:40 this morning when a colored excursion from Durham to Charlotte, running as second and in charge of Conductor William Bowen, of Raleigh, and Engineer Ben Koonce, of the same place, went head-on into a freight coming into the yards from Wilmington and in charge of Engineer Archie Taylor and Conductor Benton Brown.

The track at this place makes a sharp curve and both sides of the main line were lined with box and coal cars. The freight was crawling into the yards under the impression that no train was coming and Engineer Koonce was heading for Hamlet at a good clip sure also that the track was clear. The two engines lie now beside the track fast to each other in a grasp of death. The wrecking crew have so far been unable to separate them.

The crash was heard all over town and the whistles of the round house and the sound of escaping steam from the contending engines called the whole town to the scene of carnage and death. Both engineers are hurt. Mr. Taylor is at his home here partially unconscious and Mr. Koonce is at the Hamlet hotel. Dr. McLeod, of Aberdeen, is attending the injured passenger conductor also. Capt. Bowen was seen by the correspondent this afternoon. He is suffering from three broken ribs and a general shake up. The S. A. L. crew received the train with 912 passengers from the Durham and Southern at 8:15 this morning at Apex. Every thing went smooth and there was no intimation of trouble till the sudden shock of the head-on collision. The great carnage was in the fourth and fifth car. These were old and frail and crumbled like pasteboard. Samuel Miller was asleep with his head on the window. The telescoping wall clipped off his head and it rolled clear of the wreck. Where the two cars came together the people were packed four deep. The life blood of those on top dripping upon the wounded below.

Willing hands cut away the side of the car and released a number. The car seats were laid upon the ground under the repair shed and a field hospital opened. Drs. Kinsman and Fowlkes, of Hamlet, and four physicians from Rockingham with several from Laurinburg and Aberdeen, did all that medical skill could far the wounded. The task was great. Sixty people were seriously injured; 28 more were slightly scratched. Seven were dead and of the 60 one died while on the table. Mrs. Landrum, a trained nurse from the Presbyterian Hospital Charlotte, was nursing a case in town and volunteered her services. She gave skilled aid in a very trying position.

It was a sad and pitiable spectacle to see the suffering forms scattered upon the cushion cots, some covered with blankets and here and there a sheet covered face showing death. A train was hurriedly made up and the injured were rushed to Charlotte to the hospital there.

The carpenter shop was made into a morgue and there the eight dead bodies were prepared for burial. They were taken back to Durham tonight. The wreck destroyed six of the 11 cars and the uninjured were compelled to remain in Hamlet all day as there was not cars enough to take them away. The excursion was being run by the St. Joseph's Methodist church, of Durham, and was scheduled to reach Charlotte today at noon and return tonight. The excursionists will return to Durham with heavy hearts and without seeing Charlotte. The property loss to the Seaboard will run up near $80,000. The blame for the wreck has not been placed. An investigation will be held later. An old railroad man expressed the opinion today that the frail construction of the cars had something to do with the great damage. A similar wreck is recalled four years ago between here and Rockingham when Engineer Lewis lost his life and 23 passengers were killed.

BRIBERY CONFESSION UPHELD

Son of Former State Senator Holtslaw Re-told Father's Story to Lorimer Committee—Was Paid $2,500 for Vote.

Washington, July 27.—Expressing his firm conviction that his father, former State Senator D. W. Holtslaw, received $2,500 from a man who offered to pay him that sum to vote for Lorimer for the Senate, Herschel D. Holtslaw, of Iuka, Ill., today appeared before the Senate Lorimer committee and substantiated his father's famous "confession."

The son was cashier of his father's bank on June 16, 1909, the date the father claims to have received the money from Senator John Broderick, and from knowledge obtained in that position and from talking with his father, he declared today on the stand that deposit slips he put in evidence proved absolutely that his father received the money. The son told the story of how the Holtslaw family received the blow of the father's confession and of his father telling him that every word of it was absolutely true.

In cross examination Attorney Hanecy, representing Senator Lorimer, declared that the deposit slips had been juggled both at the present and at the first Lorimer investigation. In explanation, he absolved attorneys or others connected with the committee, from his charge. The cross examination was terminated suddenly when Mr. Hanecy persisted in asking the witness, after he said he had no knowledge on the subject, about indictments brought against his father. Chairman Dillingham suggested that other witnesses could give better testimony on the point, and assured Mr. Hanecy that every witness he desired would be compelled to attend the hearings if possible.

Former Representative James A. Tawney, of Minnesota, was today cleared from any criticism growing out of the testimony of James Keeley that George Glavis had told him Mr. Tawney was "mixed up" in an alleged magazine lobbying matter. Chairman Dillingham read a telegraphic emphatic denial from Mr. Tawney and said as the committee considered there was no testimony before it in any way implicating Mr. Tawney, it would not ask him to appear before it as a witness.

BOLT OF LIGHTNING.

Wife of Nash County Farmer Has Narrow Escape—Rocky Mount News (Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 27.—Mrs. Walter Joyner, wife of a well-to-do Nash county planter, was shocked by lightning and rendered unconscious for some time yesterday during a thunder storm. Mrs. Joyner was on the front porch of her residence and at first it was feared that she could not be resuscitated but she was finally brought around all right.

W. G. Barnhill, colored, shop employe of the A. C. L., at South Rocky Mount, while attempting to get off the empleys' train yesterday afternoon, stepped across in front of another train and was knocked from the track in an unconscious condition. He was sent to the Coast Line Hospital were it is not thought the injuries will be fatal.

The home of Mary Bridgers, colored, was practically consumed by fire yesterday evening. The house was owned by Mr. Badger Chapman and was valued at $600, partially covered by insurance.

FORTUNE FOR MISSING MEN

Governor of Iowa Asked to Search for Wright Brothers.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 27.—Governor Carroll has been asked to find the three Wright brothers, who have been left a half million dollars by a brother who recently died in Roanoke, Va.

Mrs. J. W. Kennett, of that city, wrote to Governor Carroll that Sam, Harry and Miles Wright, supposed to be located somewhere in Iowa, had been left a fortune estimated at half a million dollars by their brother. In her letter she says that the brothers left Virginia some years ago for Des Moines and have not been heard of since.

TOBACCO COMBINE BEING DISSOLVED

Giant Trust Acting in Harmony With the Supreme Court's Decision.

RE-ORGANIZATION UNDER WAY

Formation of Protective Committees First Move—Department of Justice Planning More Prosecutions — Features.

New York, July 27.—Steps toward re-creating the American Tobacco Company, out of the elements now composing it, in harmony with the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States were taken today, when announcement was made of the formation of protective committees by holders of the six percent. bonds, the four per cent. bonds and the preferred stock.

The chairman of the 6 per cent. bondholder committee is Alexander J. Hemphill, president of the Guaranty Trust Company. His associates include Albert H. Wiggins, president of the Chase National Bank, and T. DeWitt Cuyler, of Philadelphia. The committee's notice refers to the desire of the American Tobacco Company to comply with the order of the Supreme Court and urges united action on the part of the bondholders.

Similar representations are made by the committee for the four per cent. bonds, of which Charles H. Sebin, vice president of the Guaranty Trust Company, is chairman and the preferred stockholders committee of which J. N. Wallace, president of the Central Trust Company is chairman. The three committees join in requesting that certificates of bonds and stocks be deposited not later than August 28th, next.

Lawyers representing the committees today expressed the opinion that harmony on the part of the security holders will accelerate the dissolution and reorganization of the tobacco company in the manner prescribed by the United States Supreme Court.

It is understood that the protective committees were not formed until assurances were received that their efforts would not interfere with the United States Circuit Court, to which the work of re-organizing the American Tobacco Company has been delegated by the higher tribunal.

Still After the Trusts.

Washington, July 27.—The Department of Justice is planning immediate prosecution of all trusts or monopolies which to not dissolve or take other steps to obey the Sherman law as it has been interpreted in the Standard Oil, tobacco and powder trust cases. Attorney General Wickersham is authority for the statement that all such will be brought before the courts as soon as proceedings can be instituted.

To make the Sherman law effective, the Department's anti-trust bureau is now being worked to its capacity. Probably 1,000 complaints of existing monopolies, restraints or illegal agreements to control the price of commodities, ranging from feather dusters to telephones are now being investigated. The secret agents of the bureau have been scattered all over the country and in many instances an investigation of an alleged trust is going on in a dozen States, at the same time. By this practice, the government expects to shorten the period of investigation and get prompt action. One of the promised results of this policy is that the government will have in the courts before the end of the calendar year probably a dozen anti-trust suits in which the Department feels assured of.

GRAND SOUTHERN APPLICATION.

Establish Rates on Stone and Granite to Certain Points.

Washington, July 27.—On application of the Southern Railway, the Inter-State Commerce Commission today granted that system the right to establish freight rates on stone and granite from Chester, Spartanburg and Winnsboro, S. C., to all points of destination in the West, East, North and South, beyond South Carolina, lower htna concurrently are in effect to intermediate points.

The permission was granted in order to give South Carolina producers a fair opportunity to compete in the markets of the country with producers in North Carolina and Georgia.

The Commission did not determine the rates or approve of those proposed to be established, holding them to be subject to complaint and investigation if shippers should not be satisfied.

LUTHERANS CELEBRATE.

Reunion and Silver Jubilee in Maryland Yesterday.

Penmar, Md., July 27.—The Lutheran churches of Pennsylavania, Maryland and the Virginia, and District of Columbia, celebrated their 25th annual reunion and silver jubilee here today. As in former years an immense crowd was present from all parts of the reunion district.

The feature of the reunion was an address by ex-United States Senator George L. Wellington, of Cumberland, Md., on the subject, "Life Work of Martin Luther."

EXPECT FURTHER REVELATIONS

Scene of Steel Trust Investigation Shifted to New York—Hanna and Oglebay will Testify Today—Features.

New York, July 27.—Further revelations regarding the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company and its absorption by the United States Steel Corporation during the financial panic of 1907 are expected tomorrow before the House of Representative special committee of inquiry into the operations of the steel trust.

The investigation transferred from Washington to this city today will be directed into many other channels, but the Tennessee transaction will have precedence here. Summoned to appear tomorrow in this connection are L. C. Hanna, brother of the late Mark Hanna, and E. W. Oglebay, both of Cleveland.

Hanna and Oglebay were members of the syndicate of 15 men who took over the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company, and its vast Southern ore properties and ran it as an independent factor in this steel world until the merger of 1907.

Mr. Hanna, who with Grant B. Schley, of the New York brokerage firm of Moore & Schley, acted as syndicate manager of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company at the time of its absorption, is expected to be the first witness. Both Hanna and Oglebay are practical steel men. They will be questioned particularly regarding the actual value of the property and ore holdings. The charge has been made that when the United States Steel Corporation gained control of the Southern ores, the only great field of non-Bessemer ore in this country, it completed an actual monopoly of the iron ores of the United States.

Whether the price paid for the Tennessee property was fair will be asked of the witnesses.

Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, told the committee the price was too high. John W. Gates, another member of the Tennessee syndicate, testified the price was far too low.

While the committee is at work here its agents, it was learned today, are engaged in Chicago developing a line of inquiry that later may take the investigators there. The relations between the International Harvester Company and the Steel Corporation are being inquired into in Chicago and there and in other cities the operation of the corporation ore steamers and its effect on independent ore shippers is under investigation.

George W. Perkins, who is interested in both the Steel Corporation and the Harvester company, is expected to occupy the witness stand several days. Interesting developments are expected from him.

Former President Roosevelt may be requested to testify concerning the T. L. I. transaction. Former Attorney General Bonaparte is being sought as a witness for his knowledge of the Tennessee deal, he having been Attorney General at the time and of the investigation by the Department of Justice into the International Harvester Company.

MAY PRESERVE OLD VESSEL

Portsmouth Used in Mexican War—Yacht Hist Stricken Off.

Washington, July 27.—The old sailing naval vessel Portsmouth, now used as a quarantine ship at Norfolk, Va., it was decided today, will not be dismantled or disturbed in any way until Congress passes upon the proposition to fit her out in condition to sail around to San Francisco to be preserved there as a relic.

It was the Portsmouth that raised the American flag at Beuna Yerba, now San Francisco, in the war with Mexico. It is estimated the repairs will cost $25,000.

The naval history of the converted yacht Hist purchased at the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, ended today when she was stricken from the register of war vessels and shortly will be offered for sale. The Hist formerly was the private yacht "Thespia." She is now at the Portsmouth navy yard.

OUTLINES.

Eight were killed and 56 seriously injured in a head-on collision of an excursion train from Durham and a freight train bound to Wilmington in the Hamlet yards yesterday. All of the dead are negroes.——Democrats and insurgent Republicans formed a new force in the Senate yesterday and with surprising quickness passed the bill for a revision of the woolen tariff, overriding the regulars.——Steps to re-create the American Tobacco Company were begun yesterday and the announcement was made of formation of protective committees——The scene of the steel investigation has been shifted to New York and two important witnesses are expected to testify today in regard to the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co., and its absorption by the steel trust.——The famous bribery confession of former Illinois Senator Holtslaw was upheld in the testimony of his son before the Lorimer Committee yesterday.——New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 3-8. Spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points lower, middling uplands 13.50, middling gulf 13.75. Flour was quiet but steady. Wheat steady, No. 2 red 91 1-2 elevator and 92 3-4 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot quiet, exports new No. 2, 68 1-2 f.o.b. afloat. Oats steady, futures closed nominal. Rosin and turpentine quiet.

MANY GATHERED AT MOORE'S CREEK

Anniversary of First Victory For Colonials in American Revolution.

ITS CELEBRATION YESTERDAY

Able Address by W. P. Stacy, Esq.—Placing of Monument to Mark Route Taken by British Army—Incidents.

(Staff Correspondence.)

Currie, N. C., July 27.—In commemoration of the battle of Moore's Creek bridge, which resulted in the first victory for American arms in the Revolutionary War and served throughout the long seven years' struggle as a never failing source of inspiration to that incomparable band of heroes who wrested the 13 colonies from the control of a tyrant King and founded out of them a republic in which the people are sovereign, the annual celebration and all day picnic was held today at the scene of the battle, one mile from here, with over 3,500 people in attendance.

The usual programme was carried out in observing today's celebration, consisting of a number of speeches, the principal address being delivered by W. P. Stacy, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, music, and last, but by no meants least, the basket dinner, participated in and enjoyed by all present.

At 11 o'clock Rev. E. B. Carr, of Atkinson, gave a beautiful prayer opening the services. Mr. James F. Moore, president of the Moore's Creek Battle ground Association, made the opening address in his usual happy manner. Following him, Dr. Geo. F. Lucas introduced the orator of the day, Mr. Stacy, in a few well chosen words.

Basing his remarks upon four qualities that have been the mightiest factors in the rise of the Anglo-Saxon race in the United States, Mr. Stacy delivered one of the most powerful speeches that has ever been heard at the battleground. Differing altogether from the usual fire-eating article that marks most patriotic occasions, the brilliant young attorney's address was a train of thought dealing with questions of vital importance in the life and growth of the nation and was delivered in a concise and masterly way which drew from the great audience at frequent intervals round after round of applause.

Mr. Stacy opened by asking that the jury not form its opinion of the defendant, meaning himself, on heresay evidence only, referring to the complimentary remarks of the gentleman who introduced him, and requested further that it should be remembered that the defendant was a citizen of New Hanover county and on trial in prohibition territory. He declared that the chairman of the programme committee had meant well, and had done his best to procure a silver tongued orator for the occasion, but failing to secure, among others, the mighty Woodrow Wilson and the President of the University of Virginia, he had at last had to go out among the highways and hedges, to procure sinner, or sinned against—it did not matter either way—and the result was naught.

Skipping over the historic facts with which all present were familiar, the speaker outlined as the four greatest factors in bringing to its present magnificent development the foremost nation of the world, the law of heredity, the law of habit, the law of environment and that higher nature giving man the power to control the beast and making it possible to build that wonderful structure, the human character, to its highest form. Declaring that the freedom of the American people began on the day that the patriots under Wolfe measured arms with Montcalm on the heights of Quebec and that the Anglo-Saxon race was the only nation on the globe that had never waged a war for conquest or self aggrandizement, Mr. Stacy pointed out that the revolution was fought for a deep seated principle, and that the patriots bled and died that a nation might be founded on a simple form of government, in which the people would be sovereign. The speaker sketched the mighty influences of the laws of heredity, environment and habit on the development of a people, and showed that in the recognition of these truths lay the secret of national weakness or national strength. He pointed out how through the history of its rise, from the time the liberty bell pealed forth the news of the birth of the new republic to its present proud heights, the recognition of these immutable and inexorable laws of nature had caused the Anglo-Saxon race to ever go forward.

A trait that has had much to do with the nation's growth, he declared, and which other peoples lacked, was a certain staying power that causes the Anglo-Saxon to take what he has and make the most of it. The speaker closed by stating that this staying power was one of the factors that caused the descendants of the heroes who fought on that field to gather today to reconsecrate themselves to the work of building a nation that will be supreme, and over which the Master Creator must rule.

Mr. Stacy was enthusiastically ap-

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MOROCCAN SITUATION GRAVE

Warning to Germany That Great Britain Proposes to Stand by Her Rights—Words of Prime Minister in House.

London, July 27.—The most pessimistic views regarding the acuteness of the Moroccan crisis were largely confirmed by the prime minister in the House today, when with a manner as impressive as his words he read from a manuscript, which had been carefully prepared, a warning to Germany that Great Britain proposed to stand for what she considered her rights and to maintain the balance of power in Europe.

Further testimony as to the gravity of the situation is given by the fact that the prime minister obviously had taken the leader of the opposition into the government's confidence and Mr. Balfour's declaration was no less firm than Mr. Asquith's.

The prime minister's statement was couched in diplomatic, though not reassuring language. At the very opening he said:

"It is obvious that this Moroccan question has reached a point at which it will become increasingly difficult, embarrassing and anxious unless a solution is found."

Later he said: "We thought it right from the beginning to make clear that, failing of a settlement, such as I have indicated, we must become an active party in the discussion of the situation. That would be our right as a signatory to the treaty of Algeciras, as it might be our obligation under the terms of our agreement of 1904 with France. It might be our duty in defense of British interests directly affected by further developments."

In promising the support of the opposition to the government, Mr. Balfour said: "If there are any who supposed that we would be wiped off the map of Europe because we have our difficulties at home, it may be worth while saying that they bitterly mistake the temper of the British people and the patriotism of the opposition."

Such plain speaking on a question fraught with possibilities of a great European war has not been heard in the British Parliament in many years. The outcome of the situation appears to rest almost wholly on Germany's shoulders. If, as some German papers say, Germany has reached the stage of National development where the necessities of her population demand that she branch out into foreign fields, and considers this vital to her National interests and imposes conditions on France which Great Britain thinks threaten her vital interests, the only result, so far as those best informed see it, will be the oft-threatened and long-averted European convulsion.

German government officials and the majority of the German newspapers profess to think that Chancellor Lloyd-George's recent speech of warning was not addressed to Germany, but a sort of general proclamation of principles. Mr. Asquith's statement leaves no doubt, and was intended plainly to leave none, on that point. While the country has no knowledge of the extent of Germany's first conditions, the prime minister made it plain that they were such that Great Britain would not consent to them.

Mr. Balfour strongly hinted at what is the general feeling, that Germany thought she could take advantage of the crisis in Great Britain's domestic politics, in the belief that it was so absorbing to the country that the people would not pay attention to foreign affairs.

English newspapers are entirely united in supporting the government. They strongly urge that Germany shall not be permitted to make any African excursion, which would severely threaten Great Britain's National interests. The politicians and the public earnestly hope that Germany's programme is not one which Great Britain will consider impossible.

Will End the Trouble.

Paris, France, July 27.—The British prime minister's statement in the House of Commons today is greeted here with the greatest satisfaction. Optimism is beginning to manifest itself, and the opinion expressed tonight is one of confidence that the deadlock between France and Germany over Morocco will be broken and a settlement acceptable to all parties reached.

Premier Caillaux conferred tonight with M. DeSelves, minister of foreign affairs, and afterwards with the ministers of war, marine, public works and finance, but the conferences were conducted in a calm, judicial manner. Later, M. Caillaux said that prudence and cool heads were more than ever necessary to all parties.

"We must not lose sight of the fact," said the premier, "that two great nations can and must negotiate and arrange their differences."

As Viewed in Germany.

Berlin, July 28.—Premier Asquith's declaration is generally favorably received here and it is believed in most quarters that it will immediately relieve the tenison in the Moroccan question. All the newspapers publish Mr. Asquith's statement verbatim, on the principal page.

The Liberal papers unanimously acclaim the premier's speech as one tending toward peace.

New York, July 25.—Joe Jeannette, the Boston pugilist, knocked out Al Kubiak, of Grand Rapids, Mich., in the third round of their scheduled ten-round bout at the National Athletic Club tonight. Three rights to the jaw sent the Michigan fighter down three times in succession, the last time for the count.

NEW FORCE TAKES ACTION IN SENATE

Passage of Wool Tariff Revision Bill Big Surprise of Extra Session.

MAY ENACT FREE LIST BILL

Veto of Tariff Measures by President Perdicted—Coalition of Democrats and Insurgent Republicans in Charge.

Washington, July 27.—Out of what had appeared to be a chaotic condition in the Senate, there suddenly arose today a coalition of Democrats and Insurgent Republicans which bowled over the regular organization and passed a compromise bill for the revision of the woolen tariff by 48 to 32. This new force in the Senate, united on a material reduction of tariff duties all down the line and flushed with victory tonight is threatening not only to enact the so-called House Farmers' Free List bill into law, next Tuesday, but to put through a cotton bill as well. The insurgents want the sugar and steel schedules included in the programme.

The House Democratic leaders are not willing to accept the compromise bill as it passed the Senate today, but they are more than willing to meet the Senate conferees. Chairman Underwood, of the House Ways and Means Committee, declared tonight that although he would not agree to the bill as it passed the Senate and that he did not think the House would agree to it, he expressed the belief that a bill satisfactory to both Houses was more than likely to be agreed upon.

This would put the wool issue upon President Taft and there is much speculation as to what his course would be. Mr. Taft would make no comment on the situation, but in the President in the past has denounced the present woolen schedule of the Payne-Aldrich law as indefensible there have been strong intimation from the White House within the past few weeks that he would not hesitate to use the veto on any tariff schedules passed in advance of reports from the tariff board.

The assumption of power by the Democratic insurgent combination today was the outgrowth of a similar coalition formed on June 21st to send the woolen bill to the Finance Committee with instructions to report it back July 10th. The stand-pat senators then admitted that their control of the upper House of Congress had been broken and that they would no longer hold themselves responsible.

The Finance Committee shifting responsibility to the floor of the Senate, reported the bill back adversely the next day.

Today these regular senators again showed their resentment in defeat and declared they would not serve on any committee of conference with the House Representatives. There is a liklihood, therefore, that the Senate conferees will be Senator LaFollette, insurgent Republican, and Senators Bailey and Simmons, Democrats.

Senator Penrose, chairman of the Finance Committee, freely predicted today that President Taft would veto any wool measure that might come out of the conference. This statement did hot ruffle the Democrats, who announced that they would insist on a cut in rates far deeper than that proposed in the Senate measure. The Democratic leaders, in fact, are said to believe that their position politically would be greatly strengthened if Mr. Taft vetoes the bill.

What effect the Senate coalition, as perfected today, will have upon the date of adjournment cannot be prophesied. The House Democrats are frankly anxious for the session to end. They declare that the wool bill itself will not cause a serious delay in adjournment. If the Senate should take up the cotton bill and other schedules, however, there is a probability of indefinite prolongation. The insurgent senators declare they are anxious to to reamain in Washington "all Summer" to enact tariff legislation.

The bill, as passed by the Senate today, was drawn by Senator LaFollette and was a compromise between the Underwood bill, which passed the Democratic House, and the original LaFollette bill, both of which were forced out of the day by decisive votes before the new measure was adopted.

Some idea of the compromise may be had from the proposed rates in raw wool. The House bill proposed a rate of 20 per cent. ad valorem. The original LaFollette bill proposed 40 per cent. The compromise fixes the rate at 35. It is predicted that the conference will put it at 30.

The progressive programme is to remain in session until action may be had on the several schedules named.

The agreement under which the wool bill was put through extends to the farmers' free list, now on the Senate calendar and the passage of that measure in modified form seemed assured tonight.

The Democratic senators are neither so unanimous nor so enthusiastic as the insurgent Republican for a continued revision. They say that much will depend on the President's

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Pittsburg, 7; Brooklyn, 0.
At Chicago, 8; Boston, 2.
At Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 3.
At Cincinnati, 7; New York, 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	53	32	.624
Philadelphia	54	35	.607
New York	53	35	.602
Pittsburg	51	37	.580
St. Louis	51	38	.573
Cincinnati	37	50	.425
Brooklyn	31	56	.356
Boston	21	68	.236

Pittsburg, July 27.—Pittsburg won from Brooklyn today 7 to 0, making a clean sweep of the series. It was Pittsburg's eighth consecutive victory.
Pittsburg .... ..250 000 00x—7 8 3
Brooklyn .... .. 000 000 000—0 6 3
Leifield and Simon; Rucker, Knetzer and Bergen and O. Miller. Time 1:36. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

St. Louis, July 27. — Philadelphia won from St. Louis today 4 to 3 and broke even on the series. The visitors scored their runs by timely hitting in the second and third innings. The locals rallied in the eighth but fell short, scoring three runs. Woodburn and McAdams made their debut and pitched fair ball. Beck secured four singles in as many attempts.
Philadelphia ...022 000 000—4 9 1
St. Louis .... ..000 000 030—3 7 2
Alexander and Moran; Woodburn, McAdams, Harmon and Bliss. Time 2:00. Umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Cincinnati, July 27. — Cincinnati broke even on the series by winning the final game with New York here today 7 to 4. Drucke's wildness proved costly while New York managed to bunch hits off Keefe. Almeida's double with two on bases in the seventh featured.
New Yorw .. ..000 200 200—4 6 2
Cincinnati .. ..200 000 41x—7 11 2
Drucke, Crandall and Wilson; Keeef, Smith and McLean. Time 2:14. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Chicago, July 27.—Chicago bunched hits and defeated Boston today 8 to 2 The visitors bunched three hits and a sacrifice for their score. Zimmerman's batting and sensational one-hand catches by Tincker and Ingerton featured.
Chicago ....121 012 10x—8 11 0
Boston ....200 000 000—2 8 0
Toney and Archer; Griffin, Pfeffer and Kling. Time 1:45. Umpires Klem and Brennan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 1; Detroit, 7.
At New York, 5; St. Louis, 4.
At Boston, 9; Chicago, 4.
At Philadelphia, 3; Cleveland, 6.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	61	29	.678
Philadelphia	57	32	.640
New York	48	42	.533
Boston	47	45	.511
Chicago	44	43	.506
Cleveland	48	47	.505
Washington	31	60	.341
St. Louis	26	64	.289

Boston, July 27.—The locals cleaned up the three game series with Chicago by winning today 9 to 4. Boston drove "Doc" White from the box and continued the fusilade of hits against Young who succeeded him.
Boston ....200 000 52x—9 12 4
Chicago ....200 100 100—4 10 5
Karger and Carrigan; White, Young and Sullivan. Time 1:55. Umpires Dineen and O'Loughlin.

Philadelphia, July 27.—Cleveland won today's game six to three. Gregg pitched fine ball for the visitors, except in the seventh inning when two hits, a pass and an error enabled the home team to score three runs.
Cleveland .... ..000 ..4 100—6 11 3
Philadelphia ....000 000 300—3 5 1
Gregg and Smith; Leonard, Morgan and Thomas. Time 2:20. Umpire Connolly.

Washington, July 27.—Detroit bunched three hits in the sixth inning today and with the assistance of two costly errors, scored six runs, defeating Washington easily by the score of 7 to 1. Willett pitched effectively with men on bases.
Washington ...000 000 001—1 11 4
Detroit ....000 006 010—7 7 0
New York, July 27.—By bunching hits and a pass in the third inning, New York made five runs and won by the score over St. Louis, four in the last of the games with the visitors. A favorable play by Knight on Criss' hot grounder in the ninth inning prevented St. Louis from tieing the score.
St. Louis .... ..000 000 130—4 8 0
New York .. .. 005 000 00x—5 10 2
Nelson and Stephens; Fisher and Sweeney. Time 1:42. Umpires Mullin and Perrine.

Made the Night Hideous.

A crazy negro made the night hideous in the vicinity of the county jail just before daybreak yesterday morning. Residents in the neighborhood were aroused from their slumbers and the attendants upon several sick persons in the vicinity were soon in open rebellion over the hideous noise. Various powers, including the police, were called upon to abate the nuisance and as a last resort several telephone messages were sent to Sheriff Cowan with the result that a doctor was soon forthcoming and a hypodermic silenced the disturber of the peace of all in the vicinity of Fourth and Princess, the site of the jail.

Mr. William R. Bonham Dead.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mr. William R. Bonham, which occurred yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 313 Harnett street. Mr. Bonham was 50 years old and is survived by his wife and several children. The funeral arrangements were not announced last night.

WESTERN TENNIS EVENT.

Semi-Finals Reached Yesterday—The Fourth Round Match.

Lake Forest, Ill., July 27.—Semi-finals were reached in the Western tennis tournament here this afternoon in all events except the men's singles in which Conrad D. Boyle, of Washington, D. C., and C. M. Bull, Jr., of New York, are scheduled to play their fourth round match tomorrow.

In the doubles Whitehead and Winston, of Norfolk, Va., easily defeated Scudder and McKenzie, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2.

Eastern League.
At Toronto 11; Jersey City 6.
At Montreal 6; Baltimore 2.
At Buffalo 6; Newark 0.
At Rochester 3; Providence 4.

Southern League.
At Memphis 0; New Orleans 3.
At Atlanta 0; Montgomery 4.
Second: Montgomery 4; Atlanta 10
At Chattanooga 3; Mobile 1.
At Nashville 2; Birmingham 3.

American Association.
At Minneapolis-Toledo, rain.
At St. Paul-Indianapolis, rain.
At Milwaukee 15; Columbus 12.

South Atlantic League.
At Charleston 2; Savannah 1. (12 innings.)
At Macon 5; Albany 3.
At Columbia 12; Augusta 3.
At Jacksonville 8; Columbus 7. (10 innings.)

Virginia League.
At Norfolk 8; Roanoke 7.
At Richmond 8; Danville 0.
At Lynchburg-Petersburg, rain.

Carolina League.
At Anderson 3; Greenville 6.
At Winston-Salem 3; Charlotte 1.
At Spartanburg 2; Greensboro 3.

FORMER WILMINGTONIAN

Mr. C. P. Casey Passes Away in St. Augustine, Fla.—Funeral.

Friends in Wilmington will learn with regrt of the death of Mr. C. P. Casey, which occurred suddenly at his home Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock in St. Augustine, Fla. Mr. Casey lived in Wilmington for a number of years and moved with his family to St Augustine in 1901. For a number of years he was foreman of the paint shops of the A. C. L. Since his return to St. Augustine he had engaged in sign painting and had built up a splendid business. His home life was one of the happiest and he was held in the highest esteem by all in the circle of his acquaintance. A sad feature of the death is that his eldest son, Wellington, has been quite ill for some time and was not told of his father's death until Tuesday. Mr. Casey was born in Goldsboro on March 8th, 1865. In 1888 he was married to Miss Dona Barfield, of Mt. Olive. His wife and five children survive. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from Grace M. E. church and the interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

ALLEGED CHECK FLASHERS.

Arrested at Dunn—Death of M. F. Gainey—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., July 26.—Quite a good deal of excitement was created last Saturday by the arrest of two check flashers who claimed to hail from Greensboro when brought before the recorder. Two unknown men tried at several stores to get checks cashed, which were drawn on the Bank of Cape Fear and signed apparently by the Tighlman Lumber Co. Some of the merchants to whom the checks were presented, knew the signature of the lumber company and immediately notified them, warrants were issued and when brought before the recorder gave the names of J. H. Allard and James Coon. They had in their possession three checks for $20 each signed in the name of the Tighlman Lumber Co., and one check drawn on the Bank of Sanford, signed T. E. Cowin. They seemed to have anticipated burglary, as they had several small tools in a grip. They were tried before the recorder's court, and as the court did not have jurisdiction they were bound over to the Superior Court under a $250 bond each; failing to give bond they were sent to the county jail at Lillington. When they arrived in Lillington Mr. W. G. Byrd identified them as two men who had worked at his saw mill a few days before and left without getting any pay. Soon after their departure he missed some tools, and identified the tools found in their possession as having been stolen from his blacksmith shop. It seems that they had also stolen an axe and cross-cut saw which they had sold to a negro nearby.

Dr. W. L. Poteat, of Wake Forest, filled Dr. Cullom's regular appointment at the Baptist church last Sunday night, delivering a lecture on "Science Versus Religion," which was very much enjoyed by all who were fortunate enough to hear him.

In the death of Mr. M. F. Gainey yesterday morning, Dunn lost one of her oldest and most highly respected citizens. Mr. Gainey came to Dunn in 1887 and was engaged for many years in the jewelry business with Mr. J. W. Jordan, under the firm name of Gainey and Jordan. This firm was later dissolved, Mr. Gainey going into the piano and organ business in which he was engaged at his death. He was prominent in town politics, holding many positions of trust and honor during his life. He was a member of St. Luke's Catholic church here, being one of the founders and leading members. The funeral services were conducted from the church this morning by Father Irwin, of Newton Grove, the interment taking place in Greenwood cemetery. Mr. Gainey leaves a wife and several children to mourn his loss.

Congressman Godwin accompanied by Mrs. Godwin, went to Washington Monday. Mrs. Godwin will remain with her husband until Congress adjourns.

THE LUMBER CIRCULAR.

Representative Webb's Understanding of the State Platform in 1908

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 27.—Representative Webb issued a statement today in which he says he remembers distinctly the lumber circular issued from the State Democratic Executive Committee's headquarters. The statement follows:

"I remember distinctly that the lumber circular issued by the State Democratic Executive Committee was circulated and discussed before the election of 1908 and when the Payne tariff bill was under consideration in the House. This circular was discussed and I accepted it as an interpretation on the part of the State Committee of the plank in our National platform and then and now thoroughly agree that the interpretation was both wise and just." H. E. C. B.

A RACING MATINEE TODAY

Interesting Meet on Turf of Wilmington Driving Association This Afternoon—New Horses on the Track.

Local and visiting turfmen at the beaches will gather in large numbers this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Highwood Park to witness the third of a series of interesting racing matinees under the auspices of the Wilmington Driving Association. A number of new horses have been entered and while the card contains the names of many local favorites, these visiting steppers will bring forth the greatest interest.

The management confidently assures the public that this will be one of the best matinees of the season and the general public is invited. The admission will be only 25 cents and the usual five-cent street car fare from the city will obtain. The track is now in fine condition, the horses have rounded into fine trim and some fast "going" will be the order of the afternoon. In both trotting and pacing the card is quite inviting to admirers of fine horseflesh. The entrants and drivers are as follows:

Class A—The Queen, driven by McClellan; Miss Jarvis, driven by Baxter, and Hazel H., driven by Hayes.

Class B—Wilton Boy, driven by Daniels; Richard Prince, driven by McClellan; King Highwood, driven by Hayes.

Class C—Anna Director, driven by Hayes; Chieftain, driven by McClellan; Snip Hall, driven by Darby, and Norvel Girl, driven by Godwin.

With the horses in the pink of condition and the track in the best of order and with a good attendance the managers of the Wilmington Driving Association confidently expect something first-class in the way of a matinee and the public is advised to take advantage of the opportunity of seeing the races.

WILL SELL STEET BONDS.

$100,000 Worth Will be Placed on the Market Right Away.

The City Council in special session yesterday morning decided to advertise for sale at once a second issue of $100,000 of street improvement bonds. Of the $400,000 bond issue for streets voted some years ago, only $100,000 worth have been sold and of this amount only about $86,000 came over to the present administration from the old Street Commission. Most of the money now on hand will be expended in the improvement of Front street, the contract for which has already been let. At the regular meeting of the Council next Tuesday the action of yesterday will be ratified, following which advertisements will be prepared and placed in a number of financial journals.

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WILMINGTON'S NEW INDUSTRY

Officers of Carolina Metal Products Co., Elected Yesterday Afternoon. Getting Ready to Install Plant.

The organization of the Carolina Metal Products Company, Wilmington's latest enterprise and which promises to be followed by a number of others in quick succession, was completed at a meeting of the directors yesterday afternoon when officers were elected and other matters were transacted. The plant will be located on property purchased from Mr. John H. Kuck, in the southern part of the city, the site being the entire block bounded by Fifth and Sixth streets, Greenfield street and the belt line of the A. C. L.—an ideal location for a manufacturing enterprise, and upon which Mr. Geo. A. Simpson, special representative of the Canton Culvert Co., the parent concern, had the foresight to secure an option immediately on his arrival in Wilmington. In a short time this block will be the scene of much activity, for it is the purpose of the officers and directors to proceed at once with the erection of a suitable building and the installation of the latest and most improved machinery for the manufacture of metal culverts, etc. The meeting yesterday afternoon was held in the offices of the attorneys, Kenan & Stacy, in the Southern building. The directors are: Theo. G. Empie, John H. Kuck, M. J. Corbett, J. P. Council and Mr. Perry Van Horne, the latter of Canton, Ohio, being general manager of the parent concern. The following officers were elected by the directors:

President and general manager—Theodore G. Empie.
Vice President—John P. Council.
Secretary—Meares Harriss.
Treasurer—John H. Kuck.

Accompanied by Messrs. Horne and Simpson, Mr. Empie will leave tonight for Canton, Ohio, where he goes to familiarize himself with the machinery needed to equip such a plant, etc., and while there will secure plans for the building for the local plant and will also purchase the machinery. The company has been placed on a sound financial basis, and, as stated, will begin at once preparations for building and equipping the plant.

Mr. Kuck was appointed a committee of one to appear before the City Council and inform that body of the purpose of the company and ask that Sixth street, around the site of the proposed plant be paved and that the plant be supplied with water.

Mr. Meares Harriss, the secretary of the company, will not relinquish his rapidly growing stenographic work, but the work of his new position will be done in addition to his other duties.

FUNERAL OF MR. STARR.

Conducted Yesterday Morning in Fayetteville from Episcopal Church.

The Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon has the following of interest to many friends and relatives in this city:

"The funeral of Rev. Joseph N. Starr, whose death occurred in this city Wednesday morning, was conducted this morning from St. John's Episcopal church, the rector, Rev. C. N. Tyndell, officiating, assisted at the grave by Rev. Thos. Atkinson, of Baltimore, former rector of St. John's and a very dear friend of the deceased. The pallbearers were as follows: Honorary—Dr. Seavy Highsmith and H. R. Horne. Active—J. A. Moore, H. M. Pemberton, W. W. Horne, Robert Strange, Andrew Broadfoot, Thos. H. Hale. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful."

FUNERAL OF MR. H. B. MURRAY.

Services Held From the Residence Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral of Mr. Henry B. Murray, whose death occurred suddenly Wednesday, was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence at Carolina Place, conducted by Mr. A. J. Howell, assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. J. M. Plowden. The interment was in Bellevue cemetery. There were present a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Mr. Murray was 61 years old and was born in Pender county, but had resided here for some time. He is survived by his wife and six children, four daughters, Mrs. Eula Burney, of Hamlet; Mrs. Turpie Parker, Mrs. Gabriel Tew, and Miss Miriam Murray, of this city, and two sons, Messrs. H. O. Murray, of Hamlet, and Chester Murray, of this city. They have the sympathy of a great many friends.

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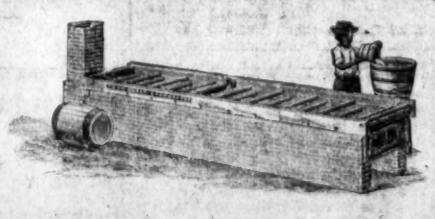

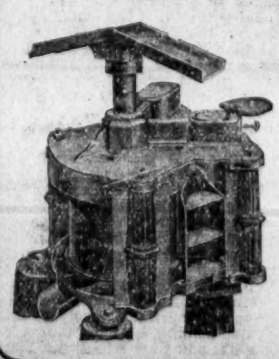

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THE CUMBERLAND DRAINAGE

Important Work in State—Postal Savings Bank for Wilmington—Seeing "Ty" Cobb Play Ball. The Cotton Schedule.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., July 27.—Representative Hannibal L. Godwin, of the Sixth North Carolina District; R. H. Buckingham, A. L. McCaskill, W. S. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crews, and Charles Haigh, all of Fayetteville, called at the Department of Agriculture yesterday and secured the promise that a permanent survey will be undertaken of the Flea Hill Drainage District, Cumberland county, not later than September 1st.

The Flea Hill drainage district, in the opinion of the people from Fayetteville, is the most important drainage proposition ever undertaken in the State, and, owing to the close proximity to Fayetteville, and its splendid railroad facilities, will serve as an object lesson for other parts of the State.

Carl W. Mengal, assistant drainage engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture, made a preliminary examination of the Flea Hill district during last May. In his report to the departmental officials here Mr. Mengal says that the territory in the district contains the richest land in Cumberland county, which, he says, is demonstrated by farmers who own land a little higher than the swamps.

"The soil is rich, dark, sandy loam, and some idea of its value can be estimated when it is stated that no fertilizer is used on it whatever," says Mr. Mengal. "The principal crops of the vicinity are corn and cotton, though many fields of tobacco and oats could be seen."

When the survey is undertaken the party will consist of a chief of party, one assistant, three rodmen, one of whom can use an instrument, and six axemen. A team and teamster and a cook will also be required as the survey will be made from a camp. The axemen will be secured locally.

The survey will start at the south end of the district and will be prosecuted along the plank road as a base line.

In securing the survey for Cumberland county Mr. Godwin has accomplished a good job for the people of his district. Flea Hill drainage district comprises some 20,000 acres of swamp lands which at the present time is practically worthless, but when the drainage proposition is accomplished will be worth anywhere from $50 to $100 per acre.

That a postal savings bank will be established at Charlotte, Raleigh, Greensboro and Wilmington within a very short time was the opinion expressed at the Postoffice Department today. At the office of Postmaster General Hitchcock it was stated that two lists of first-class offices had already been designated as depositories for postal savings funds and that Charlotte would probably be included before the middle of August. Greensboro, Raleigh and Wilmington, the official said, would follow in rapid succession.

E. S. Green, L. L. Joyner, T. W. Watson and J. E. Thomas, of Louisburg, are in Washington. "We came to Washington for no other reason than to see 'Ty' Cobb play ball," said a member of the party. "He is about the biggest man we have seen in Washington and we are going to watch the wonderful ball play at each and every game he plays here this week."

Other North Carolinians who are on a sight-seeing trip in Washington are: Stephen Westbrook, J. H. Abell, W. S. Stevens, Dr. Thel. Brooks, W. H. Austin, C. A. Martin, John F. Sanders, J. W. Stephenson, W. R. Long, S. T. Honeycutt, Z. L. LeMay, E. T. Westbrook, R. F. Hyman and T. H. Stephens, of Smithfield, and about 200 others from Rocky Mount, Wilson, Fayetteville and Weldon.

Representative Yates Webb, of the Ninth Congressional district, received hundreds of letters in today's mail, commending his action in opposing any action by the Democratic Ways and Means Committee towards taking up the cotton schedule. In the caucus Tuesday Mr. Webb made a long speech in support of his contention, but the majority was against him and he had to abide by the decision of the caucus.

E. T. Guilford and I. S. Fike, of Aurora, Beaufort county, are here.

H. E. C. B.

COLD IN MOUNTAINS.

Low Minimum Temperatures—Methodist Chautauqua.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 27.—There is considerable comment about the cool weather of the last few days but an examination of the records shows that a cool spell at this time of year is not uncommon, though the temperature recorded this, Wednesday morning, is the lowest that has been recorded for July since the bureau was established. About six o'clock this morning the mercury was down to 49.3 degrees while the average normal temperature for July is 72 degrees. Yesterday the lowest temperature recorded was 57 degrees about 6 o'clock in the morning.

July 20th, 1910, the mercury fell to 53 degrees. In 1909, there is recorded a temperature of 52 on July 20th, while on July 17th, 1908, the lowest recorded was 57. The mean temperature yesterday, Tuesday, was 64.4 degrees. The lowest absolute minimum recorded heretofore was 51 degrees in 1904.

H. J. Cathey, of the H. J. Cathey Construction Company, which has the contract for building part of the road around the lake at the Methodist chautauqua grounds at Waynesville, is in Asheville and states that his work is progressing rapidly there. Mr. Cathey has the contract to construct about two and a half miles of the road around the lake and he has completed about half of it. It is about five miles around the lake and in all Mr. Cathey stated that there would be from 25 to 30 miles of roads on the grounds. The road which he is building is from 25 to 35 feet wide and he expects to have his contract completed by August 25th. A cinder sidewalk is to be built along the road.

Dr. B. W. Spillman, general secretary and manager of the religious department of the Southern Baptist Assembly at Blue Mont., on Tuesday filed deeds to 15 lots at Blue Mont, ranging in price fro $150 to $200. This place is proving very popular with this denomination. There is hardly a day but that deeds for these lots are not recorded. The present year is said to be the most successful in the history of the assembly.

THE GRANGER MARLOW TRIAL

Much Interest Shown—Sudden Death in Country—Bellamy-Godwin Controversy—Kitchin-Daniels Imbroglio Discussed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 27.—The Granger-Marlow trial is still going on. Since noon yesterday the lawyers have been speaking and it will be this evening before they close. The State has made a strong case against Granger, and the general opinion is that he will be convicted of murder in some lesser degree than the first, but doubts are expressed about the woman. Considerable interest is being taken in this trial and the court house is filled all the time. Missie Marlowe preserves her indifferent demeanor and does not seem the least disturbed over her fate. Mr. Martin Schulken, one of our young members of the bar, made a speech on the part of the State and his argument for conviction was strong and pointed. He was cool and collected and was heartily congratulated on the conclusion.

Hon. W. O. Butler, of Pireway, was in Whiteville yesterday and brought a story from this section. He says that the day before Mr. John L. Long, one of the good citizens of that section, dropped dead. He was working on a house for County Treasurer D. L. Gore, and without warning passed away. The deceased had been in bad heath for some time. He was a brother of Jesse Long, who was killed near Bug Hill by a negro, the murderer escaping and was never captured. It will be remembered that Jesse Long was a constable, and had the negro in charge, when he jerked a pistol from his boot leg and shot the officer dead.

Last evening Solicitor N. A. Sinclair, Mr. W. O. Butler and several other leading lawyers and citizens were discussing the Daniels-Kitchen controversy, and these gentlemen unanimously endorsed and complimented an editorial in the Wilmington Star on the matter. They said it was the most timely and rational article they had seen on the subject. The concensus of opinion was that such controversies among Democrats are unfortunate and could only harm the party.

The statement wired The Star from Washington from Congressman Godwin in regard to the charge of Mr. George H. Bellamy, was the topic of general comment during our court. The Star's correspondent has talked to at least two hundred farmers, nine tenths or more of whom are friends of Mr. Godwin, and without a single exception they bitterly denounce that deal, if such had been made. They say Congressman Godwin is entirely too mild to designate Mr. Bellamy's statement as a 'mistake," if what he says is untrue, for he either uttered a deliberate falsehood and base slander on their Congressman or told the truth. They say that neither will this matter be permitted to rest, but they want to know all the facts about the story, and if there is any foundation for same. It is reported that Hon. George H. Bellamy, sometime before the Wrightsville Beach convention met, was heard to express very bitter sentiments against Mr. Godwin and declared his intention to fight him when the time came. Our people are very bitterly opposed to slate tickets, and intend to have this thing cleared and the sooner the better. Both Messrs. Godwin and Bellamy have their friends here, but a majority of our people are waiting for further light. They say if their votes have been bartered away they want to know it, and if their Congressman has been lied upon he should lose no time in vindicating himself and placing the brand of slanderer upon his maligner. The people are very much wrought up over the story, for they do not intend to tolerate such deals. They want a direct primary election, and to have a slate ticket put up on them is a thousand times worse than even a packed convention.

In about two weeks Editor Gantt, of the News-Reporter, and several other gentlemen from this county, are arranging to take a vacation in the Chimney Rock region of western North Carolina. This is a delightful and romantic country. If the Seaboard road would give excursion rates to Rutherfordton, N. C., quite a Summer travel could be built up from this section of Chimney Rock.

Later Report.

Whiteville, July 27.—After a fair and impartial charge by Judge Whedbee the case against Robert Granger and Missie Marlowe, charged with the murder of Bud Nobles, was given to the jury at 4:30 this P. M. The jury was out just one hour, when they returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree against both the prisoners.

When the verdict was read Judge Whedbee addressed the jury. He told them that there was abundant evidence to find both the accused guilty of murder in the first degree, but they had given the prisoners benefit of a doubt. The judge told the jury that they had done their duty as good citizens and deserved the thanks of the law-abiding people of Columbus county. He in person thanked the jury for their just and impartial verdict and faithful manner in which they disposed of this case. The verdict was not unexpected, and meets with general approval.

Judge Whedbee has not passed sentence as yet, but the penalty is from two to thirty years in the penitentiary. The Marlow woman and Granger seemed dejected over the verdict, but were calm and apparently resigned. Missie Marlow is a young girl of only eighteen years, and she is an unfortunate creature. The people of our county are well satisfied with this verdict, as it clears Columbus county juries of the charge of turning every murderer and criminal loose.

ENSIGN YOUNG'S CONDITION.

Suffering From Some Mental Affliction.—Father Talks.

Concord, N. C., July 27.—Dr. Robert S. Young, father of Ensign Young, whose mysterious disappearance from the torpedo boat destroyer Perkins July 12th, created a sensation, returned to his home here today, after having placed his son in the Broad Oaks Sanitarium at Morganton, and talked freely of the circumstances attendant upon the discovery of the missing naval officer. The first news of his son's whereabouts reached Dr. Young in Atlanta last Friday from a representative of Cannon Manufacturing Co., in New York.

Ensign Young called at the Cannon offices July 20th and was recognized. His father was notified and the young officer shadowed. He was registered at the Hotel Wolcott as coming from Albany.

Dr. Young reached New York Sunday and immediately placed his son in the care of a specialist, Dr. Pritchard, who stated that the officer was suffering from some mental affection and recommended a mountain sanitarium. Dr. Young left New York Tuesday morning with his son for Morganton, making no effort to conceal their identity. Through Senator Overman, Dr. Young has made report to the Navy Department representing his son's condition, requesting leave of absence and setting forth the opinion of two alienists, who examined him that his mental condition is serious.

NEW WADESBORO ENTERPRISE.

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(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wadesboro, N. C., July 27.—The stockholders of the Wadesboro Loan & Insurance Company, which recently secured a charter, held their first meeting here this afternoon. The following were elected on the board of directors for the ensuing year: H. W. Little, J. F. Medley, R. T. Bennett, Jr., L. D. Robinson, F. J. Coxe, T. S. Clark, W. R. Boggan, M. L. Ham, of Morven, and E. P. Liles, of Lilesville. The company will do a general insurance, real estate and trust business. The authorized capital stock is $50,000 with $10,000 subscribed. The directors will meet in a few days for the election of officers.

Mr. John T. Bennett, an attorney of prominence of this place, has decided to move to Rockingham to practice his profession. Mr. Bennett was city attorney here for some time and is well known throughout this section. All wish him well in his new field.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Trict: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 26 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 63 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

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No. 81, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, 1 8:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 1 4:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 48,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 58, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 1 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 1 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, * 10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 43, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

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To the Beach

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IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

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6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
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Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am. *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:35am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am *10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am *11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm 8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40,—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:59 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
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Friday, July 28, 1911.

"Well, they haven't pulverized the sugar trust yet!"—Washington Post. No, but oh you refined Standard Oil and granulated smoking tobacco!

Some people are born with a silver spoon in their mouth, but other people are born with their eye on the spoon and they never lose sight of it till it's their's.

"Never put off until tomorrow what you can get somebody else to do for you today," proverbiates the Washington Post. Never tell someone else to do tomorrow what you yourself can do today.

A Yankee claims that he has invented some method by which he can create a big fog at any place and at any time. Nevertheless, he won't make as much money out of it as lawyers who are adepts at befogging the situation.

Don't believe everything you hear until you investigate the authority. About two years ago a great many people believed Dr. Cook discovered the North Pole. This teaches us to take everything under consideration in order to avoid putting our foot in it.

It is reported that a wild man with horns has been discovered running at large in Lancaster county, Virginia. No doubt it is some Virginian who has taken to the woods with both horns of some of the herd of dilemmas with which the Virginians are now struggling.

Think about the "Old Oaken Bucket" that hung in the well, the iron bound bucket, the moss covered bucket, the germ breeding bucket that used to be tilted over by all hands who had lips big enough to lap out the water that flowed over the rim! The health officers have no doubt held an inquest over the bucket, but the poem will live.

Says the Raleigh Times: "We are only wondering what part prohibition will play in the coming Senatorial fight." It should not play any part at all, for that is a State issue and not a National issue as affecting this or any other State. However, some people no doubt will have it in for some of the candidates on that old score. They ought not to do so, however.

Referring to the final passage of the reciprocity bill without amendment, the Montgomery Advertiser says: "But it was a Democratic victory and the Democrats will get credit for it next year." However, if it should happen to be worth only 30 cents, the Democratic ledger will show where the credit is charged off owing to an error on the part of President Taft.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has been pleased with the operation of the postal savings banks established in small cities and towns a year ago under the new law, and it has been decided to put them to a test in four large cities like New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Boston. Foreign born people in this country have $18,000,000 on deposit in Europe and Mr. Hitchcock believes the government savings banks will induce these foreigners to deposit with this government instead of sending their money out of the country.

President Taft's friends controlled the Nebraska Republican convention. The regulars outgeneraled the insurgents who were in favor of LaFollette for President. The Senator may deserve a better fate, but he should always bear in mind what becomes of reformers. They are always a quarter of a century ahead of the times, and are never appreciated till it's too late for them to profit by it.

RECOGNIZING THE TRUSTS.

During the recent investigation of the steel trust at Washington, Chairman Gary, of the United States Steel Corporation, recognized the right of the government to regulate or dissolve trusts, and suggested a plan which he thought would put a stop to what appears to be interminable friction and litigation. It seems that Attorney General Wickersham adopted the idea, and that it was contained in his recent address urging the creation by Congress of a Federal Commission "to supervise the business of corporations and fix the prices of all commodities that are the subject of interstate commerce." Commenting upon the Wickersham suggestion, the New Orleans States observes:

"For political effect Mr. Wickersham has made a big bluff at prosecuting trusts, but recent revelations show quite clearly that he is in sympathy with the trust principle. In view of the success he achieved in fixing high officials of the government in the Tennessee Coal & Iron merger it is not surprising that Chairman Gary should prefer a Federal Commission to supervise the trusts and fix prices. Wickersham is smart enough to see that the plan would work the way the trusts desire, hence he approves it."

The States seems to distrust Mr Wickersham's sincerity and disinterestedness, but we pass over that to refer to what our esteemed New Orleans contemporary truthfully says, to the effect that "recent revelations show quite clearly that he is in sympathy with the trust principle."

That is quite correct, for the fact that the Attorney General suggests a scheme which will permit trusts to operate under supervision of the government, with power in the government to fix prices of trust commodities, is full recognition of the trust principle. Thus the Attorney General commits himself to the trust principle and also would commit the government to it. It would be a recognition by the government that trusts are beneficent affairs if they only conduct their business under the government eye.

The fact is, the government has outlawed such things as trusts and by law denied them existence. Now it is proposed to recognize them and take them under the government's wing. If such a thing were possible under the constitution, it would convert the Federal government from a trust buster to a trust manager. It would call for a new kind of administration not contemplated either in the constitution or in the principles of popular government.

The Attorney General's radical suggestion has not been even tolerated anywhere in the country. It seems to be a scheme worse than the trusts themselves and the Attorney General hardly expected to be taken seriously, for in a recent speech he said his scheme was so novel and radical that some conservative minds hesitate to accept a plan that will give the National government the powers and the duties involved in extending the principles of the interstate commerce laws over commercial and industrial corporations. Indeed, it has been well conceived that increased centralization of control at Washington, the necessary multiplication of Federal office-holders, and bureaucratic intermeddling with business would deter the people from favoring such a scheme. They would prefer to go into socialism on a large scale, and let the government own and operate the industries, than to take chances on the Wickersham scheme. The trusts, and people with ideas like Wickersham, are doing just the things that are making people turn to socialism as a final remedy, one probably worse than all others.

Trusts are contrary to law and they cannot be recognized as having any legal right. However, they continue to exist and when the Attorney General suggests a new way to control them it is an acknowledgment that they are still here and haven't been busted by any law or proceeding of the Republican administrations.

INITIATIVE BY MASS MEETING.

The citizens of Wilmington have the opportunity to take the initiative on the question of the city's purchasing the sewer lines of the Wilmington Sewerage Company. Under Wilmington's plans for improved water works, additional sewerage and modern streets, a bond issue of $900,000 was voted for that purpose, the money is in hand and progress is being made towards carrying out the plans in all three particulars.

The new City Council seems to have taken the initiative as to water works and street improvements, and is going ahead, but has found public sentiment more or less divided on the propriety and practicability of taking over the sewers of the private corporation which put them down about nine years ago. As to whether the private sewers are to be condemned or purchased, the council has deferred to the wishes of the citizens.

At meeting of the Council yesterday the sewer problem was taken up and it was decided to call a mass meeting of citizens at the Court House next Friday night at 8:30 o'clock so the sense of the community can be had. This meeting, of course, will be advisory, but the propriety and wisdom of it can only be determined by the character of the meeting. If it is largely attended by representative citizens and tax payers, the correct sense of the people may be secured, but if the meeting is not attended any better than most public meetings it hardly will be worth while to consider it as at all representative of the wishes of the people of Wilmington with reference to this important matter.

Since the meeting has been called, it should be largely attended by the tax-payers of the city. Iredell Meares, Esq., counsel of the Sewerage Company, will attend and represent that side of the question, and no doubt as full information as can be secured will be placed before the meeting. Even with that, a mass meeting is harrdly qualified to pass on the matter. It strikes us that a board of engineers should be appointed to examine the sewers and report to the Council their findings and recommendations in the matter. It is a matter requiring technical and expert opinions, and is hardly a question to be passed upon at an impromptu meeting of citizens. At the same time, no harm can be done by having the matter discussed as fully as possible at this time.

The question of purchasing the plant of the Wilmington Sewerage Company is a very important one to the municipality, to the people of the city and to the stockholders and bondholders of the sewerage company. Whatever is right ought to be done, but it strikes us that ultimately it will be a matter for the consideration of sewerage experts.

Wilmington has decided upon a municipally owned sewer system and the available funds for it is $160,000. No doubt the present sewerage lines can be made to fit into the new system, so the only questions to be decided upon is as to their utility and worth in connection with the new system. There are strong reasons why the Wilmington Sewerage Company's lines should be taken over by the city if they are of sufficient value and usefulness, and for all interests concerned the matter should be earnestly considered and finaly disposed of for the public interest, meanwhile without doing violence to private interests and rights.

The City Council wants to do what is right about it, and if it does not care to take the responsibility, it can refer the question to a vote of the people under the referendum clause of the new commission charter of the city.

THE BIG CORN EXPOSITION.

Having endorsed the efforts of Columbia to secure this Fall's exhibit of the National Corn Exposition, The Star can but rejoice that South Carolina's capital city has succeeded in pulling the big show. The exposition has been awarded to Columbia with the proviso that $65,000 be raised as evidence of good faith and for the purpose of paying a part of the expenses of the exposition.

We have no doubt our South Carolina friends will easily raise the necessary $65,000, for it is a State proposition more than a Columbia affair. Every county in South Carolina ought to subscribe to the fund and have an exhibit at the exposition. We are not so sure but if the South Carolinians had invited North Carolina and Georgia to take a hand in raising the money, they would have joined in very heartily, for the exhibition will be a great thing for this entire South Atlantic country. As it is, South Carolina will raise the $65,000 and North Carolina can well afford to spend a considerable amount on her part in having at that exposition an exhibit second to no State that will be represented at the show.

The exposition will attract thousands of people from the North, the West and the South, and The Star is anticipating great results from it. All Southern States should join in and make a fine showing so we can get the exposition to come South now and then, alternating by States that will raise the money.

When President Taft got through with reciprocity he went to his Summer home and forgot all about the army in Texas.

The Democrats in the Senate have telegraphed to Governor Hoke Smith to throw up his job as Governor and hurry on to Washington where there is need of him on his other job as Senator. Governor Smith considers that it is exceedingly important for him to run the governorship a while longer, and so it appears that Smith's importance is one of the paramount things in State and Nation. Very few men become so doubly important that they hardly know what to do about it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

So long as such fellers as Lockhart write about him, Mr. Kitchin's chances of being senator are improving at the rate of a thousand votes a week.—Raleigh Times.

If the Governor is to blame for the failure of the Legislature to pass an adequate anti-trust law, how are you going to get around holding the Democratic Legislature responsible?—Durham Herald.

Every now and again we are reminded of the fact that there is objection on the part of some merchants in Chester to cater to the needs in particular lines, to the negro. This class of trade is restricted by the exorbitant price, placed on goods that usually are offered for sale to the rank and file of men and women. No merchant dare draw the color line by refusing to sell, but he is privileged to ask 25 cents for a 3-cent sandwich if he chooses. All of this argues in favor of business places and plans for the colored people, operated by men and women of that race. This seems to be the real method in the inauguration of the industrial schools from which are graduated thousands of colored young men and women, who in turn go out to teach others of their own color to be industrious and progressive. Y. M. C. A.'s are being formed for the negro, and with the great work that is going on in the world, the marts of trade will be filled with men and women of the colored race as shrewd and successful in mercantile pursuits as some of their caucasian brethren.

Today the colored man is compelled to buy what he needs from the merchants as they are, but there may come a time when this trade will be directed to channels controlled entirely by men of the African race.—Chester (Pa.) Republican.

AFFRAY AT CURRIE.

Leon Lewis Seriously Injured by Gordon Sarvis Yesterday Afternoon.

Following the celebration at Moore's Creek battleground yesterday, and while the crowd was waiting for the train at Currie, Gordon Sarvis, who is said to be an employe of the city waterworks department, stabbed Leon Lewis, of Wilmington, captain of the steamer Alice, owned by Mr. J. W. Brooks, between the shoulders, inflicting a serious and possibly a fatal injury.

Lewis was brought to the city last evening and carried at once to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where he was reported late last night as resting very well considering the serious nature of his wound.

The stabbing, according to what information could be had last night, followed a free for all fight participated in by four or five young men. It was said that Lewis was only an innocent bystander, taking no part in the affray until a young man whose name could not be learned, ran up and struck him. Lewis then knocked the fellow down, whereupon Sarvis is said to have run up behind him and struck him with the large blade of his pocket knife. The blade entered just between the sholders, a little to the right, and from the appearance of the cut, which is about three inches long, the physicians who examined it are of the opinion that the knife must have been twisted in the wound. It is understood that the action of Sarvis was the most cowardly to be imagined. After he had struck the blow he turned and ran around a store, with Lewis in pursuit. Lewis drew his revolver and Sarvis ducked behind some turpentine barrels on the outside of the store. A crowd formed around Lewis and persuaded him to put up his gun. Sarvis threw his knife away, it is said, and then invited any one to search him.

While Lewis was being taken to the depot for medical attention, Sarvis went to the excursion cars and hid himself. After what is said to have been an inexcusable delay officers searched the train, but Sarvis could not be found. The train for Fayetteville had come in and gone in the meantime and it is thought that he escaped on this.

There were several magistrates at the depot when the stabbing occurred and also a deputy sheriff and several constables. The blundering way in which they handled the case caused considerable comment, and it is said that there was no possible excuse for letting Sarvis make his escape.

The knife with which the cutting was done was found in the bushes a short distance from the barrel behind which Sarvis took refuge when pursued by Lewis.

FIRE AT WASHINGTON, N .C.

Morton Building in Heart of City Destroyed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, N. C., July 27.—This city was visited by another costly fire which began in the Morton building on Main street, right in the heart of the business section, about 4 o'clock this morning and in a few hours the entire building was completely gutted by the flames, leaving only a few of the outside walls standing. The local fire department rendered valiant service and but for their untiring efforts a large part of the business section would have also been destroyed. The building was owned by Messrs. George O., and Charles L. Morton, and was occupied by the W. B. Morton Furniture Co., the Tidewater Printing Co., Wm. Kear Real Estate Co., and Dr. L. H. Mann, dentist. The property valuation as nearly as can be ascertained was about $30,000 and the insurance only about $10,000.

The fire originated in the press room of the Tidewater Printing Co., situated in the rear of the building and the flames had gained considerable headway before they were discovered. It was rumored on the streets today that it was the work of an incendiary, but as yet there is but little evidence.

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AFFAIRS AT RALEIGH.

Residence Burned—Candidates Are Speaking—Railroad.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 27.—The residence of the keeper of Pullen Park, Wiley H. Howell, was burned early this morning while the family was away. Most of the furniture was saved. Howell was at the home of his brother, Jno. W. Howell, who died last afternoon.

Governor Kitchin has gone to Albemarle, Stanly county, to deliver an address in connection with a big educational rally. Also Chief Justice Walter Clark has gone today to Stanly, Gaston county, to deliver an address in connection with a Confederate veteran celebration, the 27th annual affair that has taken place there. While neither will make any reference to political matters or to the senatorial contest in which both are contestants, it is safe to say that there will be some "sawing wood" on the quiet with reference to not only the speaker-candidates, but as to Simmons and Aycock as well.

Rapid progress is being made in the grading of the extension of the Raleigh & Southport Railroad from Lillington via Broadway to Sanford. President and General Manager Jno. A. Mills has a big force of men at work on this extension. He says good progress is also being made in the construction of the Elkin & Allephany into the management of which he has recently come through a special deal with the State which is a large stockholder, and the Elkin & Allegheny Co.

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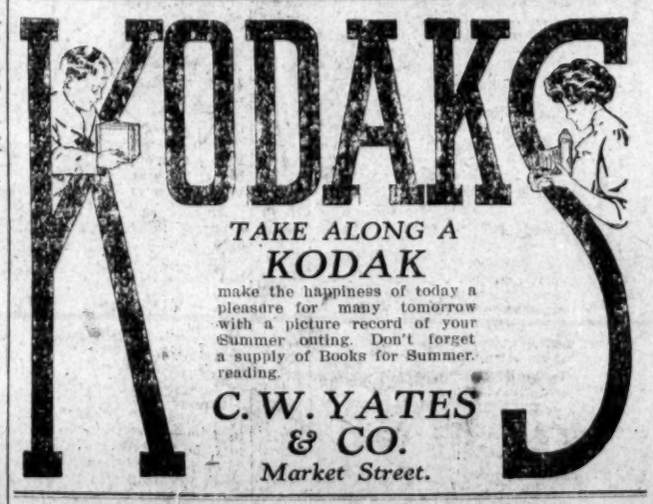

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MASS MEETING OF CITIZENS

Called by City Council to Discuss the Sewerage Question—Councilmen Express Their Views of the Matter.

In order to secure an expression from citizens interested in the momentous question and with a desire to do only what is right in the matter, the City Council in special session yesterday morning decided to call a mass meeting of citizens to be held in the Court House next Friday night for the purpose of discussing the sewerage question and if possible arrive at some solution of the problem. The Councilmen are actuated by an earnest desire to do the right thing by the Wilmington Sewerage Company, which owns the existing plant, and at the same time do only that which will be for the best interest of the city as a whole.

This sewerage question has been hanging fire for two years or longer and the City Council is anxious to have it disposed of. The old Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance flatly refused to consider the matter of purchasing the existing plant and instructed the Water and Sewerage Commission to proceed with the installation of a new and modern municipal plant. However, the commission did not take any action toward carrying out the orders on the ground that it could not well handle the matter until the water works plant was completed. The result is that the old administration ceased and a new form of government was ushered in with new officers and still nothing done toward the installation of the new plant. The Councilmen have been in office nearly three months, and have had any number of other important matters to consider, therefore they are just now getting in a position to handle the sewerage problem and settle it for all time.

Mayor Smith presided at the meeting yesterday morning and all members were in attendance, also Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer. The meeting had been called especially to take up the sewerage question. Iredell Meares, Esq., attorney for the bondholders of the Wilmington Sewerage Co., was present and addressed the meeting for about half an hour, presenting the sewerage company's side of the matter.

Councilman Tiencken remarked that he thought the city should do the right thing by owners of the existing system and pay the worth of the plant and no more. Councilman Perdew said that he thought the plant should be punished for not exceeding $65,000. Mayor Smith said that so far as buying the plant is concerned, he didn't believe in paying any more for the plant than the plant produces. Councilman B. C. Moore seemed to agree with the Mayor. Councilman P. Q. Moore did not express himself on the proposition, but when all had had their say he moved that a mass meeting be held in the Court House next Friday night at which citizens will be heard. Probably the first thing to be decided is whether or not the plant or any part thereof will be purchased; then if so, what method will be adopted to determine the value of the plant. It is hoped and believed that the meeting next Friday night will be largely attended. It is intimated that some of the trustees for the bondholders will be present.

Mr. Meares submitted to the Council the following proposition for the company:

"The company will build a complete system of sewerage for your city, which will incorporate the present system, by plans to be laid out by a first-class and well-known sewer engineer, mutually to be agreed upon, or by plans by him to be approved. The completed system to be extended wherever water mains are now laid, so as to admit of its use, and to be so arranged in its extended main lines as to admit of further extension in the future as they may be needed and desired. The plans, of course, to be approved by the State Board of Health, as the law directs.

"2. The present plant is to be incorporated in the enlarged system at the valuation of $160,000.

"(The present bonded indebtedness of the company is $150,000, and its unsecured indebtedness is $145,000. The unsecured indebtedness was incurred in extension of the plant, maintenance and intterest on its bonds. We do not believe that our existing plant could be built, at less than $200,000, consisting, as it does, of about 23 miles of mains and 10 miles of laterals. The above indebtedness will be, of course, retired by the company.)

"3. The company will issue a new series of bonds, running 40 years, 5 per cent., interest payable semi-annually with the provision for a sinking fund, after five years, to be prorated for the remaining term of 35 years. The aggregate of this new series of bonds will be such an amount as will be sufficient to pay at par the $160,000 for the plant, and the actual cost for the additional sewers. All work will be done under the supervision of the engineer to be mutually selected and the actual cost to be approved and certified by him.

"4. The company and its bondholders, who will undertake to provide the means to complete the system, upon the approval and acceptance of the completed system by the authorities of the city, will then sell the entire plant to the city for an annual rental to be paid, equivalent to interest on bonded indebtedness and $10,000 per annum after five years, for sinking fund, to retire the bonds. This annual sum to be deposited with a trustee to pay the interest on the bonds and for the sinking fund, which shall be invested in the bonds or applied to retiring them. The city to get a title subject only to the outstanding bonds, but free from all other encumbrances. The city to take possession of, maintain and operate the plant, and to receive for its own use the income at such rates as it may fix.

"5. The city, when the system is completed, approved, and accepted shall make it the public system and to exercise its police power to have all closets of residences or stores along the route of the sewer connected with the system. This the city can do, as it will own the system, subject only to the outstanding bonds.

"6. The present rates for the use of the sewer, which are said to be lower than elsewhere, if maintained, would yield the city from 5,000 connections, which could be had from the extended system at $6.00 per annum, about $30,000 annually, which would pay the annual installments to the company, as proposed, and eventually the plant would pay for itself by gradually retiring the bonds.

"7. The preliminary arrangements will be made at once, if this first proposition is accepted, so as to begin actual construction of the work as soon as the company may be allowed to break ground."

BOARD NEARS END OF WORK

Last Session of Board of Equalization This Afternoon—Assessments at Wrightsville Beach—Other Changes.

The Board of Equalization, which has been in session nearly every day for the past two weeks, has practically completed its work and the last session will be held at the Court House this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Chairman Duncan McEachern asks that all who have any change they desire made in the assessment of their property to appear this afternoon or "forever hold their peace." The property of the Coast Line in block 244 on the wharf will be assessed at the meeting this afternoon, along with the matters which may come up.

The board was in session for several hours yesterday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon the board visited in a body Wrightsville Beach for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of the property there at the request of Hon. John D. Bellamy, who appeared before the body some days ago. All the property on the beach was considered by the board. Valuations of property on the beach were decided upon as follows:

Estate of Sam Bear, $1,000; Tidewater Power Co., $1,000; Oceanic Hotel, $2,500; estate Sam Bear, $2,000; heirs Sol. Bear, $3,500; Mrs. G. S. Foster, $1,700; Mrs. Mary D. Parsley, $1,600; Mrs. S. M. S. Hicks, $1,400; VonGlahn estate, $1,400; S. & B. Solomon, $1,600; H. C. Bear, $1,500; W. & B. Goodman, $1,500; M. Rosenmann, $1,000; A. David, $1,700; Mrs. Ed Latimer $900; Father Dennen $1,000; T. Donlan $900; Geo. R. French, $1,800; Wrightsville Beach Hotel Co., $27,500; B. F. Hall, $1,800; Mrs. Alice M. Northrop, $1,500; and another piece of property $1,800; John D. Bellamy, $1,600; Mrs. Mary H. Kenan, $1,600; G. H. Smith, $1,800; Bishop Robert Strange, $1,500; P. R. Albright, $1,800; F. A. Lord, $1,110; Carolina Yacht Club, $4,000; Mrs. M. D. Rountree, $1,800; M. J. Corbett, $1,650; H. W. Walters, vacant lot, $500; T. M. Emerson, $1,800; Mrs. A. J. Northrop, $2,000; Union Club, $2,000; Mrs. P. L. Bridgers, house and lot, $1,800; and two vacant lots, $400; James Sprunt, house and lot, $1,800; vacant lot $200; H. C. Irving, $1,500; M. W. Divine, et al., vacant lot $400; M. Bear & Bros. $1,700; Mrs. M. F. Humber, $1,500; Mrs. B. R. Dunn, $1,500; G. M. Saunders, $1,500; Atlantic Yacht Club, $2,200; A. J. Flanner, vacant lot, $250; L. W. Temple, vacant lot $250; J. A. Springer, $1,500; Hanover Seaside Club, $2,500; Mrs. Geo. D. Parsley, $800; Ocean View Co., Nathan Cottage, $900; Schloss cottage, $1,200; vacant lots, $600; Tidewater Power Co., Lumina, $8,000; Ocean View Co., hotel and land, $10,000; A. L. Butt, $500; Mr. S. G. Snyder, $300; Thos. H. Wright, three vacant lots, $350; A. Shrier, $1,000; H. E. Bonitz, one at $1,000 and the other at $7,000; C. D. Maffitt, $800; Wrightsville Beach & Suburban Development Co., four cottages, $3,000; Chas. N. Evans, $800; Miss Amelia Harlow, $1,000; C. D. Maffitt (J. H. Hinton) $1,000; John Q. Myers, $800; B. O. Stone, $800; Thos. H. Wright, $1,000; Thos. W. Davis, $800; J. M. Stevenson, $700; A. B. Skelding, $800; Chas. N. Evans, lot $100; J. J. Sternberger, vacant lot, $600; Thos. H. Wright, $1,400.

Property of Mr. Pembroke Jones, the Elliott place, or Oak Point and Airlie combined, was reduced from $44,000 to $30,000. House and lot of J. O. Carr, Esq., at Carolina Heights was reduced from $4,500 to $4,000; property of M. W. Teachy in block 3 reduced from $350 to $200; J. B. Mercer's property in Harnett township reduced from $600 to $150, the increase having been a clerical error; estate of Miss Mary Bridgers, lot No. 7, Carolina Heights, from $2,250 to $400; house and lot at No. 1705 Princess assessed at $2,250 and house and lot No. 1807 at $2,250. A vacant lot of Mr. George Harriss at Carolina Heights was reduced from $1,000 to $700. Property of Mr. J. M. Solky in block 52 was reduced from $950 to $750.

The assessment of several pieces of property in the district in which reside women of the underworld was considerably increased, this action being due, it is thought, though not stated at the meeting, to the fact that the owners of the property secure great revenue in rentals and for the further fact that other property in the vicinity is made practically worthless for the time being. Changes were made as follows: Property of Mrs. Mary R. Simmons increased from $750 to $2,250; Mrs. W. A. Forest from $1,500 to $3,000; Maggie McClary from $700 to $1,500; M. L. Starkey in block 200, from $700 to $1,760; M. L. Starkey, block 187, from $1,500 to $3,500; Susie LaMont, block 187, from $1,500 to $3,000; Susan Townsend, block 187, from $1,000 to $2,250; Susan Townsend, block 188, from $1,000 to $2,500; Wm. Sheehan, block 189 from $600 to $1,000; Batson & Bradshaw, block 189, from $1,000 to $2,000.

Property of the Wilmington Granite & Brick Co., was reduced from $10,000 to $4,000.

Mr. Clark Visits Charleston.

Yesterday's Charleston, S. C., News and Courier: "Mr. E. N. Clark, agricultural and industrial agent of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway, with headquarters in Wilmington, was in the city yesterday on a short business trip. He held a conference with Managing Secretary A. W. McKeand, of the Chamber of Commerce. It is understood that there is a strong possibility that Mr. Clark will attend the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America, to be held in Boston next week, as a member of the South Carolina delegation."

THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

Dr. Nesbitt, City Superintendent of Health, Gives Out Statement as to Recent Analysis and "Danger Notice."

Owing to the fact that Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, a few weeks ago in a signed statement conjointly with Dr. Nesbitt declared the fever situation in Wilmington under absolute control and the number of cases rapidly diminishing, which was true, and yet on yesterday sent to the city officials copy of a warning notice he desired published in the papers relative to the pollution of the water supply, to which he attributes the fever, Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, last night gave out the following signed statement:

"To the Public:—In view of the apparent desire of the people to know definitely the true condition of our water supply, I desire to make the following statement:

"This water supply has been showing gratifying analyses each month until May of this year. During the typhoid epidemic in Wilmington last year, the full analysis provided by the State Laboratory of Hygiene during the months of May, June, July and August, showed a water free from pollution and of excellent quality. In April and September of 1910 the State Laboratory of Hygiene reported c. bacilli presence in 10 c.c. of the city water. From the death rate which occurred in the city it is evident that there was more than 200 cases of typhoid in Wilmington during the Summer of 1910, at which time there was no mention or suggestion from the State Board of Health that the city water supply was responsible for the epidemic. In the analyses furnished the superintendent of our city water works for the months of March, April, May and June of 1911, there was shown absolutely no pollution, and a water of excellent quality. These samples were all taken from a tap in the city under the usual precautions to obtain asepsis. When the typhoid outbreak began to be apparent in the latter part of May the secretary of the State Board of Health brought his assistants to Wilmington to investigate the source of this disease

"From samples taken from taps at Orton House, drug store corner Eighth and Market streets, and a residence at 308 South Front street, it was determined that the water being delivered contained c. bacilli which is accepted as evidence of pollution. Samples taken at Orton House on May 29 and May 31, showed the presence of c. bacillus in both one and ten c.c. of water. Sample taken at Orton House on the 31st of May and the first day of June, and the sample taken at the drug store corner Eighth and Market streets, on June 4th, and at residence on South Front street on June 4th, and at The Orton House June 5th, showed the presence of c. bacillus in 10 c.c., showing a lesser degree of pollution than in the previous samples.

"The filtered water taken from the clear water well at the waterworks on June 4th, not only showed water free from pollution, but highly satisfactory in every other respect. Another sample taken on June 4th from the tap at the confectionery store on Fifth and Castle streets showed a water absolutely free from pollution and satisfactory in other respects. Another sample taken on June 4 at the drug store at Front and Castle streets, showed water not only free from pollution, but highly satisfactory in other respects. On June 3 the secretary of the State Board of Health instructed the Mayor of this city over long distance telephone, to notify the public through the press that the city water supply was polluted and must be boiled before use for domestic purposes. The regular sample sent from Wilmington waterworks for its intended analysis on June 14th, showed a water free from pollution and satisfactory in other respects. Sample taken from the city taps at selected remote points of the city on June 21, 22, 29, July 3, 4, 6, 11, 15, 17, 19, showed that the water was free from pollution on these dates. Samples taken from the city taps on July 12, 13, 14, 17, 21, and 23, showed the presence of c. bacilli in 10 c.c. Samples taken from city supply on June 14, 15, 16, showed pollution in both one and ten c.c. as did samples taken on the 11th, and 17th of July. Three of these samples were taken from city taps and three from the regulating box at the pumping station. Sample taken from I. Shrier's store at Front and Princess on July 19th, was free from pollution and satisfactory in other respects, while the one taken from Jarman's drug store on July 21 showed presence of c. bacilli in 10 c.c. The method of using the presence of c. bacilli as an index of pollution is regarded as the most reliable of all tests of potable water, inasmuch as this organism is found only in excrement, and can only be transmitted to the water by the sewer or contaminated hands, other like contamination which has come in contact with the water, or the container in the process of handling and analysis.

"The method used to determine the presence of c. bacilli at this time is what is called a presumptive test. This test does not include the actual growth of the bacilli in culture from the water.

"In the instructions on the back of the analysis blank furnished by the State Laboratory of Hygiene, the following explanations are made: "The C. Bacilli is inhabitant of the intestines of man and other animals. Its presence in so small a quantity of water as 10 c.c. is undesirable and if found in one c.c. it is still more significant of pollution."

"It is assumed by the recognized authorities on analysis of water that the presence of C. Bacilli in the water is evidence of the possible presence of the typhoid bacillus in the water as both occur only in human excrement. It is exceedingly difficult to determine by the laboratory method the positive presence of this organism in any given sample of water. It is exceedingly easy to convey to samples of water in the process of collection and in the subsequent process of analysis, a sufficient amount of contamination to show such evidence of pollution as appears in the above quoted analysis. Inasmuch as there have been during the entire time that this water has been under suspicion, a number of analyses made in which there was no pollution, and in which the other constituents of water were satisfactory from the standpoint of potability, the Department of Health has considered it unwise to issue a sweeping condemnation on the water supply of this city. In lieu of this, the public has been repeatedly urged to boil all water used for drinking purposes and for other domestic uses which might convey infection, and the soft drink fountains have been warned in the public press to use no water in their fountains save that which is known to be sterile. The charted analyses of the cases of typhoid fever which have occurred in this city during the past few weeks show that out of 164 cases reported that 73 of these cases habitually drank and used water from deep bored wells, which our analyses showed to be free from pollution, and the most trustworthy of all local water supply. In addition to these 73 users of this unquestioned water, four cases used sterile bottle water for drinking purposes and 18 used nothing but boiled water. Twenty-seven cases out of the 164 reported were found to be using the city water supply for drinking purposes. While it is possible for infection to be transmitted from water to the individual during the process of bathing, or by washing vessels, vegetables, and the teeth in polluted water, it is but reasonable to assume that water which would procure an infection in such small quantities as could be ingested by this means, must show a constant enormous degree of pollution, which the city supply of Wilmington has not shown at any time. The chemical constituents of polluted water have never been found in quantities which would denote this enormous degree of pollution in our city water.

"On the 23rd of June, the superintendent of health wrote to the secretary of the State Board of Health with reference to a plan which had been formulated under the advice of Mr. Hazelhurst, an experienced engineer, for washing the water mains and delivery pipes with solution of hyperchlorite of lime. In his reply to this letter the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health suggests the use of apparatus for adding small quantities of hypo-chlorite solution to the water supply at the clear water well at the waterworks. Supporting this recommendation with the information that other cities had succeeded in removing the evidence of pollution from their water supply by this means.

"Mr. Booker, the assistant secretary of the State Board of Health, came to Wilmington on July 3rd and installed this apparatus at the waterworks. I am assured by Mr. Cantwell that this apparatus has been in continuous use since its installation, and that the instructions which were given by the secretary of the State Board of Health and his assistant have been followed exactly and conscientiously in every particular. The health department has every reason to believe that this is true. Notwithstanding this fact, Mr. Cantwell received on July 22nd, the following telegram:

"'Water again polluted. You have dangerous water supply. I understand upon careful supervision of hypo-chlorite mechanism the chemical must be added continuously. I can put a man in charge who will eliminate B. Coli. You can do this if the plant is well supervised. I must be done.

'W. S. RANKIN, Sec.'

"To this telegram Mr. Cantwell replied as follows:

"'The hpyo-treatment has been carefully continued as per instructions. I am instructed to ask you for the name of your man and also remuneration expected. I cannot understand why the result expected has not been obtained. We are looking to you for instructions which will be followed.'

"No reply was received from this telegram until July 21, when the following letter signed by Dr. Rankin was received by Mr. Cantwell:

"'Mr. Dear Mr. Cantwell: Replying to your last telegram, I write to ask that you collect samples of water daily from the city taps and forward to the laboratory. I am asking Dr. Shore to send you containers if you have not a supply on hand.'

On July 22, the following letter was received by me:

"'The samples of water as you say are discouraging. I have very little doubt but were Booker in charge of purification plant he would sterilize your water as he did when he was down there.' I have repeatedly urged that the secretary of State Board of Health be allowed the privilege to furnish a man as he suggests who will be able by any means to completely sterilize our water supply. It is the intention of the Councilman in charge of waterworks to grant this privilege as evidenced by his reply to the telegram received from Dr. Rankin on July 17th.

"On July 26th I received a letter from Dr. Rankin from which I take the following extracts: 'It will be impossible for this office to furnish an engineer to take charge of the management of your public water supply. Mr. Booker is now away on his vacation and is to be married tonight. I have done everything possible in the way of protecting the people in Wilmington from water-born diseases. I have through the mayor notified the public that your water supply was contaminated and urged that they boil the water. However, I realize when the city water supply is contaminated that the exposure of the public to water-born disease is considerable. Even where they are warned, and where many use bottled water or boiled water, or water from private sources, for the people who use other water than the public water supply for drinking purposes are exposed indirectly in a number of ways to the contaminated water supply. In taking drinks or meals away from home, in eating raw vegetables, or drinking milk that has been taken from vessels that have been washed in contaminated water they are more or less exposed. It is almost impossible to prevent the operation of these indirect exposures for a large number of people in the city the size of Wilmington. I am writing the mayor today asking him again to notify the people of Wilmington in regard to the danger of using Wilmington water. What is absolutely necessary is a man whom I can trust absolutely in the management of Calcium hypo-chlorite addition to the water. I am afraid that the calcium hypo-chlorite is not being properly added. I do not attempt to say why it is not.'

"The impression that both Mr. Booker and I gathered from the management of the water company was that they were not at all enthusiastic over the use of the calcium hypo-chlorite. It is rather strange that while Mr. Booker was personally supervising the addition of the chemical that the water was almost sterilized, and that it again became polluted as soon as he returned home. I am trying to find a man who will supervise the addition of the calcium hypo-chlorite, and as soon as I can find him I will write you.'

"There is not the slightest doubt in my mind that the polluted water supply is responsible for the number of cases of typhoid fever that you are having in Wilmington, and the continued presence of the fever is to be expected as long as the polluted water is turned into the city mains.'

"'Finally, I have about reached the conclusion that it will be absolutely impossible to arrive at a satisfactory origin of the epidemic until some man takes charge of the waterworks that can prove to the satisfaction of all concerned that calcium hypo-chlorite cannot do in Wilmington what it does everywhere else, viz: to eliminate sewage organism from a public water supply. If that is done and the fever should continue it would point to other causes than water. But until that is done the State Board of Health will hold your public water supply responsible for the prevalence of typhoid fever in Wilmington.

'Very respectfully yours,
'W. S. RANKIN,
'Sec. State Board of Mealth.'

"The following letter was received by Mayor Smith today:

"'I am enclosing a letter to Dr. Nesbitt which explains the request that I herein am making to you, to-wit: that the enclosed notice be given the city of Wilmington through publication in a conspicuous place in your city papers. With kindest regards, I am, 'W. S. RANKIN.'

"The enclosed notice is as follows:

'DANGER!

"'To the citizens of Wilmington:

"'The public water supply of Wilmington is grossly polluted with the germ contents of human intestine and is dangerous to use in any way by which it directly or indirectly is taken into the system. By this we mean that it is dangerous to drink and that anything such as raw vegetables, milk, fountain drinks, or anything else that has come in contact with it, even in small quantities, is dangerous for consumption.

"'We would further advise that no soda fountain be patronized that does not have conspicuously posted a notice from the Superintendent of Health of your city, stating that the drinks served are free from any possible pollution from the city water. Those who neglect this warning and who do not guard themselves against the polluted city water supply must be responsible for their own cases of typhoid fever.

"'As soon as the water is purified,

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Rexford are spending some time in Asheville and Montreat, N. C.

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Miss Minnie Davis, of Carthage, is visiting Miss Jean Fennell, at No. 402 North Second street.

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Mrs. F. P. Davis and Misses Cassie Sellers and Irene Lane have returned from a visit to relatives at Hampstead.

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Mrs. Maude Love and Master Willert, of Durham, are visiting Miss Sallie Fentress at her home at 419 South Front street.

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Misses Ella and Gertrude Black have returned to their home at Rome, Ga., after a visit of several weeks at the Georgia Cottage at Wrightsville.

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Atlanta Georgian: "Mrs. James T. Oliver on Moreland avenue, has as her guest this week her sister, Miss Josephine Montgomery, of Wilmington, N. C.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boney and daughter, Eunice, returned to their home at Rose Hill, N. C., yesterday after spending ten days at the Oceanic Hotel at Wrightsville Beach.

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Mrs. S. N. McIntyre, formerly of Wilmington but now of Atlanta, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Orrell, 107 North Ninth street, and is being cordially welcomed by her many friends here.

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Prof. M. C. S. Noble, in charge of the department of pedagogy at the University of North Carolina, has arrived to spend some time with relatives and friends in this city, where he formerly resided.

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HAPPILY MARRIED IN THIS CITY YESTERDAY.

Mr. George T. Elmore, formerly of Wilmington, but who has been living at Hinton, W. Va., for some time, and Miss Pearl S. Miller, daughter of Mr. J. W. Miller, proprietor of Hotel Miller at Hinton, were happily married at the rectory of St. Thomas' Catholic church at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, Rev. Father Dennen performing the ceremony in the presence of only a few intimate friends. The couple are spending their honeymoon on Wrightsville Beach. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elmore, of Wilmington. They have been sweethearts for some time and as both were visiting in this city it was decided not to delay the marriage longer. Mr. Elmore holds a position in the transportation department of the B. & O. Railroad at Hinton. The couple will have the best wishes of many friends here and elsewhere.

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ENJOYABLE WATERMELON PARTY GIVEN AT OCEANIC.

A most enjoyable watermelon party was given Wednesday at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, by Messrs. George W. Long, Jr., and J. V. Gwaltney in honor of Miss Eloise Dick, of Greensboro, and Miss Bessie Gore, of Wilmington. Among those invited were: Misses Bessie Gore, Eloise Dick, Kate Hardie, Annie Merritt, Edith Pritchard, Anna Grant, Florence Grant, Eloise Oliver, Miss Wilburn, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Stafford, Mrs. Longeria, Messrs. Ballington, Will Denny, R. L. Henley, Will Gore, Milton Gore, Albert Gore, Fred Hashagen, Jr., W. M. Bolin, George Norman, George Honnet, Joe Jacobs, W. I. Baxter, Edgar Know, George Long, Jr., Harold Hooper, Leech, Gresham, Balentine, Edward Moore, Dave Currie, J. V. Gwaltney, Tom Pritchard, William Pritchard, Gilbert Ford, Judge Beeles. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmer, Mrs. C. E. Dickinson, Mrs. Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Sterns, Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

MR. MALVERN H. BELL DEAD

Passed Away at An Early Hour Yesterday Morning—Funeral.

Hunderds of friends in this city and elsewhere learned with deep regret of the death of Mr. Malvern Hille Bell, the elder son of Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Bell, which occurred at the family residence, No. 408 North Third street, at 2:15 o'clock yesterday morning, following an illness of some time of tuberculosis. He had been confined to his home for nearly a year, his condition growing gradually worse until the end at the hour mentioned.

The funeral services were held at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the residence, conducted by Rev. J. A. Smith. There were present a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and sympathizing friends. The hymns were beautiful, and with a great deal of sympathy, sung by Mrs. Longfellow. They were "Under His Kings," "Sometime We'll Understand," and as the body was borne from the house she sweetly sang, "Them That Sleep." The body was tenderly borne to the union station and taken on the evening train to Gatesville, Gates county, where the interment will take place today. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. L. B. Smith, D. D. Sloan, Owen Holmes, Quincy Satchwell, Floyd Allen and Garland Murphy.

Mr. Bell was 22 years old and was an upright young man of many sterling qualities, popular among a wide circle of friends. News of his passing was received with genuine regret, though it did not come as a great surprise, for the young man had been seriously ill for several weeks and his death was momentarily expected. He was a student at the A. & M. College, Raleigh, prior to the time he was stricken with tuberculosis. Besides his parents he is survived by one brother, Mr. Eure Bell. The bereaved have the tenderest sympathy of a great many friends.

Kill More Than Wild Beasts.

The number of people killed yearly by wild beasts don't approach the vast number killed by disease germs. No life is safe from their attacks. They're in air, water, dust, even food. But grand protection is afforded by Electric Bitters, which destroy and expel these deadly disease germs from the system. That's why chills, fever and ague, all malarial and many blood diseases yield promptly to this wonderful blood purifier. Try them, and enjoy the glorious health and new strength they'll give you. Money back, if not satisfied. Only 50c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

SANDLIN CASE POSTPONED

Absence of Material Witness Interfered With Plans—Will be Called Again Saturday—Other Cases Yesterday.

Absence of a material witness for the defendant caused a postponement in Superior Court yesterday of the trial of L. M. Sandlin, a well known white man, who killed his wife, Mrs. Dora Sandlin, in their own home on North Fourth street, a few weeks ago and then turned the weapon upon himself with the purpose of committing suicide, but in which effort he failed. The trial is now set to begin Saturday of this week and may be entered into at that time whether the witness has arrived or not.

The witness whose absence interrupted the plans of the court to enter into the trial of the murder case yesterday morning is Dr. R. W. Ward, of Jacksonville, N. C., by whom the defense hopes to prove that a streak of insanity runs through the family. Insanity will be the plea of the defendant according to his attorney, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., he will have a number of witnesses here to testify that the disease is hereditary. He will attempt to prove by Dr. Ward that not only was Sandlin insane at the time of the awful tragedy, but is insane now; also that one of the defendant's relatives died as an idiot at 15 years of age; that another died from drinking, and that the minds of other relatives have been affected. Other witnesses will testify, the attorney stated, to the erratic actions of the defendant a week before Mrs. Sandlin was killed. It was upon the presentation, in the form of an affidavit, of what the attorney hopes to prove by the absent witness that the postponement until Saturday morning was granted and then only after a hard fight, for counsel for the prosecution desired to proceed at once.

Dr. Ward, it was said, had been duly summoned to appear as a witness for the defendant. It was stated that the prosecution also desired him as a witness, but the summons issued by the State was not served. When Dr. Ward was called and failed, counsel for the prosecution asked the court to hear a statement of a Mr. Yopp, also of Onslow county. Mr. Yopp stated in substance that he was told by his brother on Wednesday afternoon that Dr. Ward said that he had been excused by the defense and that he would leave tomorrow (reference being to Thursday) for Swansboro and thence to Morehead City on a pleasure trip. Mr. Grant stated that he did not excuse the witness.

Mention was made that Dr. Ward is a wealthy man and owns two or three launches, and this brought forth the remark from Judge Cline that he had better "steam up" one of the launches and come on to Wilmington. A judgment of ni si was entered against the witness and a subpoena issued for him. The subpoena was sent yesterday to the sheriff of Onslow county at Jacksonville. Sheriff Cowan endeavored to get in touch with Dr. Ward by telephone, but the line was not in working order. He sent a telegram, however, but had not received a reply last night. If Dr. Ward is not at Jacksonville papers will be sent to Morehead City for him.

Judge Cline remarked during the argument of counsel that he had a notion of ordering the trial to proceed without the witness, but Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., acting solicitor, contended that if the trial was entered into there might arise some question later and he would prefer giving the defense opportunity to have the witness present. Hon. John D. Bellamy and Herbert McClammy, Esq., appear for the prosecution.

Mr. Grant claims that his client was not only crazy at the time of the homicide, but that he is insane now, therefore, he should not be placed on trial for his life, but be tried first as to his sanity. He will urge that a jury first pass upon the sanity of the man.

Frank Bennett, the 16-year-old negro boy, who broke into the combination store and dwelling of Mrs. A. V. Jones, at Seventh and Harnett streets, some weeks ago, entered a plea of forcible trespass, which was accepted by the solicitor, and was sentenced to two years on the county roads with leave to the County Commissioners to hire him out.

Phoebe Wilson, colored, was granted a divorce from Edward Wilson. William Canady, colored, plead guilty to assault with deadly weapon, carrying concealed weapons and larceny, and received a sentence of one year in each of the two last named cases while judgment was suspended in the first named. His term is to begin as if from July 12th, when he was tried in the Recorder's court and given sentence of two years. The case came up on appeal.

Floyd Herring, colored, charged with assault with deadly weapon on Aex. Hines, colored, was found not guilty. The defense, represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., did not offer any testimony.

Eight Years for Stanley.

Council Stanley, colored, who with Charles Fowler, colored, was tried at the last term of Superior Court on the charge of highway robbery, the jury being unable to agree as to him, but returned a verdict of guilty as to Fowler, was found guilty yesterday afternoon, the jury remaining out only a few minutes. Fowler received a sentence of eight years, so Judge Cline thought that Stanley should receive the same sentence, less the time intervening between the two terms of court, and therefore gave him seven years and nine months. Fowler and Stanley were charged with holding up and robbing William Nixon and William Green in East Wilmington and robbing them of a pair of shoes and a few other things which they had in their cart in which they were returning to their home at Greenville Sound.

George Bell, colored, charged with assault with deadly weapon on William Holly, colored, appealed from the Recorder's court, was found not guilty. Bell was tried before Justice Evans for simple assault and required to pay the costs. Later a warrant was issued for him from the Recorder's court for assault with deadly weapon. He was convicted of this offense in the Recorder's court and appealed, winning out in Superior Court. C. D. Weeks, Esq. appeared for him. This was the last case tried yesterday afternoon, court adjourning at 6 o'clock until 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Solicitor Henry E. Shaw, who was seized with a chill Wednesday afternoon and had to go to his room, was able to be out again yesterday afternoon. During his absence from the court room Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau looked after the interests of the State. Sheriff S. P. Cowan became ill yesterday afternoon and went to his home on Greenville Sound. It is hoped that he will be able to be out again today.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The fire department was called out last midnight by an alarm from Box 27, corner Third and Princess streets, on account of a blaze which destroyed a small out house in the rear of Magistrate's Row, on Princess street.

—By deed filed for record yesterday A. G. Sarton, of Spartanburg, S. C., transfers to E. W. Burnett and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Seventh, 66 feet south of Red Cross, fronting 33 feet on Seventh street.

—Cape Fear Camp, United Confederate Veterans, will hold a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock, at the W. L. I. armory. This will be the last meeting of the camp before the State reunion and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. R. E. L. Brown and little daughter, of Chadbourn, were in the city yesteday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wells and child, of Watha, N. C., were visitors to the city yesterday.

—Mr. R. B. Jarman, of Jacksonville, Onslow county, was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. Dave Currie has returned to his home at Fayetteville, after a stay of several days at Wrightsville Beach.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were Arch M. Bethea, of Dillon, S. C., and N. J. Edwards, of Goldsboro.

—Raleigh News and Observer: "Mr. C. W. Yates, of Wilmington, is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. M. King, on Hillsboro street."

—Messrs. Brown Floyd and Frank Klugh, two of Spartanburg's popular young business men, are guests at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach for a few days.

—Messrs. G. M. Heinitsh and P. H. Thompson, of Spartanburg, S. C., returned to their home yesterday, after a stay of several weeks at Wrightsville Beach, guests at Mrs. Keel's cottage.

—Conway (S. C.) Field: "Mr. Tally Vaught, who has been with the Burroughs & Collins Company for some time, has accepted a position with a Wilmington, N. C., mercantile firm and left on Monday for his new position."

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Southern Hotel were: J. H. Lee, Rocky Mount; Mrs. H. Kornegay, Mount Olive; L. N. Evans, Whiteville; W. H. Bullard and E. T. Bullard, Burlington; L. F. Swain, Beaufort; F. A. Bracy, Rowland; W. K. White and D. S. Haler, Rocky Mount.

—Mr. J. S. Ramos has returned from a visit to Charlotte, where he went in the interest of the Southern Realty & Development Co. He says that he sold a number of Lakeside Park lots to Queen City people and that a number of her business men will soon come to Wilmington with a view of locating manufacturing enterprises here.

CHADBOURN SCHOOL BUILDING.

Contract Let to Mr. H. P. Little of Conway—Other Building.

The contract for a new graded school building at Chadbourn to replace the one destroyed by fire some months ago was let recently to Mr. H. P. Little, of Conway, S. C., and the structure is to be completed in time for the opening of the Fall term. The building will cost in the neighborhood of $13,000 and will be one of the handsomest and best arranged of any in this section. The plans were drawn by Architect H. E. Bonitz, of this city.

Mr. Bonitz left last night for Concord, where the contract will be let today for a new church building to be erected by St. James' Lutheran Church, of that place. The edifice will probably cost $20,000. Mr. Bonitz recently drew plans for a new graded school building to be erected at Rockingham to cost in the neighborhood of $15,000. The contract for the building will be let August 4th. On Monday the contract will be let for a new school building at Page's Mill, S. C., in accordance with plans drawn by Mr. Bonitz. This building will cost about $8,000.

In the Ground Many Years.

In excavating for the new building of J. W. Murchison & Co., which will be erected on the site of the old Rock Springs Hotel, in the rear of the Southern Building, on Chesnut street, workmen unearthened some pine straw and bark Wednesday which is in a fine state of preservation. Two feet below the foundation of the old building the workmen found a bed of tar and pitch and two feet underneath this they found the pine straw and bark. It is thought probable that the straw and bark have been in the ground for about 65 years. The indications are that years ago the Cape Fear river extended up to the property and that there was a wharf where the bed of tar and pitch were found. Some of the straw and bark Achitect H. E. Bonitz has in his office.

Lumber Attached.

Under authority of attachment proceedings instituted in Superior Court, Constable W. B. Savage, acting as a special deputy, yesterday afternoon levied upon 168,000 feet of boards and plank belonging to Horsey & Mills Lumber Co. The action is brought by S. Mitchell, of Newberlin, who alleges that the firm owes him $2,790.54 for lumber sold and delivered.

Danughters of Rebekah.

A large crowd accompanied the Daughters of Rebekah on the moonlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington down the river last night and the outing was most delightful. A number of pleasing features had been arranged for the event, which the crowd thoroughly enjoyed. The boat returned to the city about 10:30 o'clock.

..Theatrical..

Aside from an extra big and extra delightful bill today is going to be a notable one for pleasure at the ever-popular Bijou. Some time ago the Bijou, as a special courtesy to its large lady patronage, presented a souvenir day. So great was the success of this occasion, and also to again show its appreciation, the Bijou decided to repeat the event. So today, or rather, this afternoon will be souvenir occasion at this attractive theatre. This afternoon up to 6 o'clock the Bijou will present each lady who attends with a copy of the well known and decidedly handsome Motion Picture Story Magazine, which retails for 15 cents per copy. This magazine is filled with interesting stories and is beautifully illustrated. In order not to slight the men the Bijou will tonight offer them an additional attraction, the alert management having secured the services of the Cape Fear Independent Band to render a superb programme of the latest musical gems. All this will be something added to the regular bill, which is going to be of the finest quality, and whopping for quantity. Three reels of the very latest and most expensive moving pictures will be offered and there will be a brilliant programme of musical numbers, headed by the popular balladist, Mr. Frank Banks.

CITY OF STATESVILLE.

Deputy Supreme Regent Hooper Writes of Progressive Community.

Deputy Grand Regent James S. Hooper, of the Royal Arcanum in North Carolina, in a personal letter states that he is leaving Statesville, N. C., for the "Queen City of Electrical Energy"—Charlotte—and will be located there for a while. He had a most successful visit to Statesville, securing over 35 new members to the council. Mr. Hooper says:

"Statesville sure is keeping pace with the other progressive cities in the State, by grading the streets and laying good sidewalks, etc. They are making it easy for visitors to get into their progressive city, by cutting down the steep hill between the city and the depot they will soon have an up-to-date street car line of the Edison storage battery type. A beautiful, up-to-date new depot and several new factories in process of construction. They are digging away on a new railroad and prospecting for another; in fact, they are prospecting and progressing all the time.

"The business men here sure give visitors and strangers the right hand of fellowship and you sure came near being right when you published me once as being from Statesville, N. C."

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Large Deed of Trust.

A deed of trust was filed for record yesterday from the Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co., to the Bankers' Trust Co., and John H. Parsons, trustees, to secure $50,000,000 30-year first mortgage sinking fund gold bonds. The instrument is dated January 2nd, 1911, and the bonds are due on January 1st, 1941. The deed is printed in pamphlet form and contains 72 pages. It is being pluaced or record in every county through which the telephone runs.

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THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

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'JOS. D. SMITH,
'Mayor of Wilmington.'

"Inasmuch as the secretary of the State Board of Health has already declared the typhoid epidemic in Wilmington over and done with, and the subsequent development of cases of typhoid has in no sense re-established the epidemic condition, the city authorities deem the publication of the above warning superfluous and unnecessary. I have presented the foregoing data for the purpose of informing the citizens of Wilmington of the true status of their water supply. I have tried to present the facts and correspondence in such a way that the citizens may have a clear understanding of the existing conditions. I most earnestly regret that so much of my time must be occupied in explanation and controversy, when the sanitary conditions of the city so urgently need attention.

"CHAS. T. NESBITT,
"Superintendent of Health."

News of the Shipping.

One schooner arrived and another cleared from the port yesterday. The Augustus Welt, Capt. Sproul, cleared for New York with cargo of 21,475 pine cross-ties, shipped by R. T. Windley. The schooner John W. Hall, Capt. Bennett, arrived yesterday from Promise Land, N. Y., with cargo of fertilizer material for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co.

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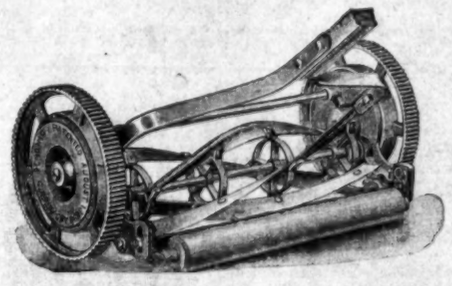

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Financial and Commercial

LESS ACTIVE DAY FOR COTTON

Rally From an Opening Decline Lost in the Last Hour—Fluctuations Irregular—Spot Ten Points Lower.

New York, July 27.—The cotton market was less active today and fluctuations were irregular, but a rally from an opening decline was lost in the last hour, when there was heavy Wall Street selling attributed to an unfavorable view of European political conditions and new crop months made new low records for the season. The close was easy, at a net decline of 14@25 points. The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 10 points, in response to better cables than expected and official predictions of rain in India, which seemed to partially relieve apprehensions of famine, but almost immediately weakened under increasing receipts, renewed Southern selling and liquidation by some of yesterday's scattering buyers who were evidently disappointed by the absence of prompt bull support.

New crop positions sold 9 to 11 points net lower, during the first few minutes, but at this decline the bulls or stronger realonists came to the support of prices, and the market gradually worked up until new crop positions were 12 to 23 points net higher. At this level, demand became less active, while the South continued a moderate but steady seller, and the market broke sharply late in the day on heavy offerings, largely from Wall Street sources, and which were supposed to be influenced by increased uneasiness in financial circles over the Moroccan situation. October touched 11.32 in the last few minutes, or four points under the low record of yesterday, and about 20 points under the closing figures of last night, while near months, which had been very quiet during the day, broke to a net loss of 14 or 15 points, while last prices were at practically the lowest of the day. Trade interests were again good buyers on declines, but the support was not so aggressive as it was at times yesterday, and the continued Southern selling seemed to discourage buyers notwithstanding the many arguments urged in favor of a rally following such a sensational decline.

Receipts today, 634, against 1,161 last week, and 2,444 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 27 bales, against 491 last year, and at Houston, 762, against 157 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, 13.50; middling gulf, 13.75; sales, 1,100 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed easy.

Month	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	13.30	13.30	13.00	12.95
August	12.40	12.55	12.23	12.23
September	11.77	11.79	11.51	11.50
October	11.56	11.56	11.32	11.32
November	11.51	11.51	11.51	11.25
December	11.55	11.55	11.51	11.31
January	11.50	11.50	11.25	11.25
March	11.55	11.58	11.37	11.36
May	11.68	11.68	11.45	11.45

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 555; gross receipts, 555; sales, 56; stock, 7,449.

New Orleans—Quiet and easy, 13¾; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 27; sales, 141; stock, 26,819; continent, 3,800.

Mobile—Nominal, 13½; stock 686.

Savannah—Nominal, 13⅜; net receipts, 35; gross receipts, 35; stock, 14,701.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 3,501; 446.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 205.

Norfolk—Steady, 13½; net receipts, 17; gross receipts, 17; sales, 5; stock, 1,329; coastwise, 856.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13⅜; stock, 1,599.

New York—Quiet, 13.50; net receipts, 473; sales, 1,100; stock, 88,362; Great Britain, 200; continent, 3,101; coastwise, 365.

Boston—Quiet, 13.50; gross receipts, 97; stock, 7,715; Great Britain, 22.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.75; stock, 1,352.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 634; Great Britain, 222; continent, 6,901; stock, 153,722.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 3,302; Great Britain, 2,084; France, 377; continent, 10,641.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,471,444; Great Britain, 3,258,894; France, 900,444; continent, 3,039,435; Japan, 148,906; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13; net receipts, 762; gross receipts, 762; shipments, 1,447; sales, 1,999; stock, 10,451.

Augusta—Quiet, 13⅜; shipments, 18; sales, 18; stock, 3,639.

Memphis—Nominal, 14¾; net receipts, 26; gross receipts, 86; shipments, 91; sales, 25; stock, 25,313.

St. Louis—Nominal, 14; net receipts, 283; gross receipts, 427; stock, 5,517.

Cincinnati—Stock, 17,992.

Little Rock—Nominal, 13½; shipments, 103; stock, 3,869.

Louisville—Firm, 14.

Total today—Net receipts, 788; gross receipts, 1,131; shipments, 2,086; sales, 2,042; stock, 66,786.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 27.—An invasion of the Northwest Territory, Canada, by the black rust had the attention of the wheat trade this afternoon. Largely as a result, the market closed at a net gain of ⅝ to ⅝c. @¾c. Other cereals, too, showed an advance over last night. Corn, ¼ to ⅜, and oats ⅜@⅞ to 1c@1¼. In provisions, the outcome varied from unchanged figures to a rise of 12½.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 84½@86; No. 3, red, 83@85; No. 2, hard, 86@88; No. 3, hard, 85@86; No. 1, northern, 1.05½@1.07; No. 2, northern, 95@1.02; No. 3, northern, 93@1.00; No. 2, spring, 92@96; No. 3, spring, 89@94; velvet chaff, 84@92; durum, 83@92.

Corn—No. 2, 64¼@64½; No. 2, white, 65½; No. 2, yellow, 62½@63; No. 3, 62; No. 3, white, 64½@65; No. 3, yellow, 62½@62¾; No. 4, 61¼@61¾; No. 4, white, 62@62½; No. 4, yellow, 61¼@61¾.

Oats—No. 2, new, 37@38; No. 2, white, 39@40; No. 2, white, new, 38½@39¼; No. 3, white, 38¼@39; No. 3, white, new, 37¾@38½; standard, 38¾@39; standard, new, 38¼@39¼.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	85¼	86⅞	85⅝	86⅞
Sept	88¼	89	87⅝	88⅝
Dec	92	92⅝	91½	92½
May	96½	97⅝	96¼	97¼
Corn:				
July	61¼	62	61	62
Sept	62¾	63⅝	62⅜	63½
Dec	61	61⅝	60½	61⅛
May	63¼	63⅝	62¾	63½
Oats:				
Sept	39¾	40⅝	39½	40⅜
Dec	42¾	43⅝	42⅜	43⅝
May	44¾	46	44½	46
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	16.90	17.00	16.87½	16.90
Jan	15.85	15.95	15.82½	15.95
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.47½	8.57½	8.45	8.55
Sept	8.57½	8.65	8.55	8.65
Jan	8.50	8.55	8.45	8.55
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.55	8.62½	8.50	8.62½
Sept	8.70	8.75	8.65	8.75
Jan	8.22½	8.25	8.17½	8.25

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Good Business; Prices 15 to 17 Points Higher.

Liverpool, July 27.—Spot, good business done; prices, 15@17 points higher. American middling fair, 7.62; good middling, 7.28; middling, 7.02; low middling, 6.82; good ordinary, 6.56; ordinary, 6.31.

The sales of the day were 14,000 bales, of which 2,500 were for speculation and export and included 13,200 American. Receipts, 4,000, all American. Futures opened steady and closed steady. July, 6.75½; July and August, 6.70½; August and September, 6.54; September and October 6.24½; October and November, 6.16½; November and December, 6.11½; December and January, 6.10½; January and February, 6.11; February and March, 6.12; March and April, 6.13; April and May, 6.14; May and June, 6.15½.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Schr. John W. Hall, 329 tons, Bennett, Promise Land, N. Y., C. D. Maffitt.

Cleared.

Schr. Augustus Welt, Sproul, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Exports—Domestic.

New York—Schr. Augustus Welt, 21,475 pine cross ties, cargo by R. T. Windley; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

John W. Hall, 329 tons, Bennett, C. D. Maffitt.

Perry Setzer, 1,208 tons, Blake, C. D. Maffitt.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., July 27.

Atlantic Coast Line—51 casks spirits turpentine; 225 barrels rosin; 73 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Shallotte—15 casks spirits turpentine; 101 barrels rosin.

Sharple Geneva Moore—14 casks spirits turpentine; 70 barrels rosin.

Total—80 casks spirits turpentine; 396 barrels rosin; 73 barrels crude turpentine.

Total last year—74 casks spirits turpentine; 488 barrels rosin; 35 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 27.—Flour was quiet but steady.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—Nomial.

Wheat—Steady. No. 2, red, new, 91½c., elevator, and 92¾c. f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ¼ to ⅝c higher; July, 92⅝; September, 93 15-16; December, 98.

Corn—Spot, quiet. Exports, new, No. 2, 68½c., f.o.b., afloat. Futures closed nominal.

Oats—Steady. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rosin—Quiet.

Turpentine—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Raw Sugar—Strong; refined, firm.

Coffee—Futures closed about 2 to 6 points net higher. Spot, quiet; No. 7, Rio, 13 5-16 @13¾; No. 4, Santos, 13⅞; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Butter—Firm. Creamery seconds, 21½@22¼.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm, unchanged.

Cabbages—Easy, unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights—Steady.

Cotton—By steam, 15 to 20c.

Cotton Seed Oil—Owing to the strength of lard products today, cotton seed oil was firmer, on active covering by room shorts, in face of the break in cotton, closing 10 point higher. July, 5.50@5.85; August, 5.48@5.50; September, 5.43@5.45; October, 5.35@5.37; November, 5.32@5.34. Prime summer yellow, spot, 5.50@5.85; prime winter yellow, 5.60; prime summer white, 5.50@6.13.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at 49 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.85 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	80
Rosin	396
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	73

Receipts same day last year, 74 casks turpentine; 488 barrels rosin; 35 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal,

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, 1 bale.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 22nd.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 12 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, 7 to 9½ per lb.; dry, 12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.45 per head; chickens, spring, 15@35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rogers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish—Farmer stock, firm, $1.27½ bid; $1.30 asked; holdings, small; No. 1, Spanish shelled, 7¼c.; No. 2, Spanish shelled, 5½ to 5¾c.

Virginians—Runch, 4¼ to 4½c.; Fancy Hand Picked, 3¾ to 4c.; Extra Prime, 3½ to 3⅝c.; Prime, 3¼ to 3½c.; Machine Picked, 3¼ to 3⅜c.; market, firm.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 27.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2⅜; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2⅜; time loans, steady and dull; sixty days, 2¼ per cent.; ninety days, 2¼@3; six months, 3¼@3¾. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent.; sterling exchange, weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.25 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86.05 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83.75. Bar silver, 51¾; Mexican dollars, 45.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 27.—The cotton goods markets are quiet and easy. Trading is of a moderate character in jobbing houses. Orders for staple men's wear are light.

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STOCK MARKET BADLY UNSET

Caused by Heavy Selling Movement Following Peaceful Morning Session—Net Losses Were General—Conditions.

New York, July 27.—After a peaceful morning session with slightly higher prices, the stock market was badly unset today by a heavy selling movement. Declines were more rapid and extensive than had been the case in several weeks, ranging from 1 to nearly 3 points among the standard stocks. Net losses were general, consolidated gas being almost the only stock of any prominence to score an advance.

London selling and a continuation of yesterday's bear raid seemed to be chiefly responsible for today's further setback.

The pressure from abroad was simultaneous with reports of the British premier's speech on the Moroccan entanglement. Estimates of the selling for London account ran from 50,000 to 75,000 shares.

The increased uneasiness abroad indicated by the heavy foreign selling afforded an opportunity which was put to effective use by the bear party. Its attack was centered in the leading railroad shares, which gave way quickly. Canadian Pacific, which fell back nearly three points, was the heaviest loser among the standard issues, although the Harriman stocks declined nearly as much. A number of industrials, also including United States Steel, Westinghouse Electric, American Beet Sugar, International Harvester and Interborough-Metropolitan, pfd., were distinctly heavy.

Trading in Reading during the first hour of the session constituted more than one-third of the whole. Reading touched 160¾, its highest point for more than two months, but fell back with the general market.

It was learned today that steps toward "recreating" the American Tobacco Company in conformity with the decision of the United States Supreme Court are under way. The movement probably will take the form of one or more protective committees for the bonds and preferred stock.

Declaration of the usual dividend on St. Paul was followed by some buying of that stock, although its recovery was not large.

The bond market was easy. Total sales, par value, $3,685,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, par value, $3,685,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 427,700 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	28¼
Amalgamated Copper	67⅝
American Agricultural	58¼
American cet Sugar	54⅛
American Can	11¼
American Car and Foundry	56½
American Cotton Oil	55
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24½
American Ice Securities	22¾
American Linseed	16¼
American Locomotive	39
American Smelting and Refining	78¼
American Smelting and Refining, pfd.	106
American Steel Foundries	38¼
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel and Tel	136⅜
American Tobacco, pfd	94½
American Woolen	32
Anaconda Mining Co	38⅜
Atchison	113
Atchison, pfd	103¼
Atlantic Coast Line	130½
Baltimore and Ohio	108¾
Bethlehem Steel	35⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	81⅞
Canadian Pacific	241⅜
Central Leather	29¼
Central Leather, pfd	100
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake and Ohio	81¼
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	22¼
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44½
Chicago and North Western	145⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	126⅜
C., C., C. and St. Louis	98
Colorado Fuel and Iron	54⅛
Colorado and Southern	54½
Consolidated Gas	145⅝
Corn Products	14½
Delaware and Hudson	171½
Denver and Rio Grande	28
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	57¼
Distillers' Securities	35¼
Erie	35¼
Erie, 1st pfd	56¼
Erie, 2nd pfd	46
General Electric	162¾
Great Northern, pfd	134⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	57⅝
Illinois Central	145
Interborough-Met	17.5½
Interborough-Met, pfd	49⅝
Inter-Harvester	122⅞
Inter-Marine, pfd	16⅞
International Paper	11
International Pump	41
Iowa Central	18½
Kansas City Southern	34½
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67¼
Laclede Gas	106¾
Louisville and Nashville	150¾
Minneapolis and St. Louis	30
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	139
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	35¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	67½
Missouri Pacific	49
National Biscuit	133¼
National Lead	55⅝
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	29½
New York Central	107⅞
New York, Ontario and Western	45½
Norfolk and Western	107⅞
North American	73½
Northern Pacific	131¼
Pacific Mail	29⅜
Pennsylvania	124½
People's Gas	106
Pittsburg, C., C. and St. Louis	96
Pittsburg Coal	21¾
Pressed Steel Car	36¼
Pullman Palace Car	161½
Railway Steel Spring	36½
Reading	150⅝
Republic Steel	29⅜
Republic Steel, pfd	94
Rock Island Co	31⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	64¼
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	47½
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	68
Sloss-Sheffield Stel and Iron	49
Southern Pacific	121⅛
Southern Railway	31⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	72¾
Tennessee Copper	40¾
Texas and Pacific	28⅜
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	20½
Toledo, St. L. and Western, pfd	44½
Union Pacific	188¼
Union Pacific, pfd	95
United States Realty	74
United States Rubber	40⅜
United States Steel	78⅝
United States Steel, pfd	119¼
Utah Copper	49¼
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	57½
Wabash	15⅜
Wabash, pfd	34⅜
Western Maryland	61⅛
Westinghouse Electric	73¼
Western Union	80¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 27.—Rosin and turpentine, quiet.

Savannah, July 27.—Turpentine, firm, at 49¾@50; sales, 1,353; receipts, 1,047; shipments, 16; stocks, 29,844.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,735; receipts, 3,787; shipments, 2,500; stocks, 120,570. Quotes: B, 5.30@5.40; D, 5.70@5.75; E, 5.95@6.10; F, G, H, I and K, 6.50@6.55; M, 6.55; N, 6.75@6.85; W G, 6.95@7.00; W W, 7.00@7.10.

Charleston, July 27.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stobenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills.

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If other kinds you've tried in vain,
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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 28.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Thursday, July 28th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 75 degrees; at 8 P. M., 75 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 76 degrees.

Rainfall during the day, .00 inch; for the month, 3.63 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 2 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Probably fair Friday and Saturday; not much change in temperature; moderate east and north winds.

Port Calendar—July 28.

Sun rises	5:20 A. M.
Sun sets	7:16 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs. 56 min.
High water at Southport	10:20 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	1:20 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 27, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	94	70	.0
Asheville	clear	78	48	.0
Atlanta	clear	82	66	.0
Augusta	clear	84	62	.0
Birmingham	clear	82	60	.0
Boston	cloudy	72	62	.0
Charleston	clear	86	66	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	84	64	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	80	62	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	84	76	.0
Jacksonville	clear	88	68	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	86	66	.0
Mobile	clear	88	66	.0
Montgomery	clear	84	62	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	86	72	.0
New York	cloudy	76	66	.0
Palestine	clear	88	66	.0
Oklahoma	clear	90	68	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	78	56	.0
Raleigh	raining	82	62	.04
Savannah	clear	88	66	.0
Shreveport	pt cldy	88	66	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	88	62	.0
Washington	clear	82	62	.0

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 309, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

This 15th of July, 1911.

NORTH CAROLINA HOME BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys.

jy16-30t

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NOTICE.

The delivery of the outfits for sanitary closets will begin July 24th.

It is the desire of the Health Department to equip all premises as rapidly as possible. That area between Tenth street and the Cape Fear river; Castle street and the A. C. L. R. R., will be equipped first. Citizens owning property within this area are urged to file their applications for these outfits as soon as possible. The applications must state the location of each of the premises to be equipped, the name of present occupant, and owners. These applications will be filled in the order of their receipt and the outfits furnished as rapidly as possible in the same order.

CHAS. T. NESBITT,
jl 14-tf. Supt. Health.

NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township, Entry of Land, No. 9123.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek, and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty (450) yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about thirty (30) yards to a stake; thence a northwestwardly course to the mouth of a cut, where Clam Creek empties into Jennett's; thence with Jennett's Creek to the beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, in vacant and unappropriated land belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimants hereby make entry of, lay claim to and pray for a grant for said land.

J. J. PINER,
H. B. SHEPARD,
C. H. STOKLEY,

Entry filed July 14th, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.

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NEW FORCE TAKES ACTION IN SENATE

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attitude and some of them predict early adjournment in case the President vetoes the wool bill.

The result in the Senate came with surprising quickness. Through organization of the combined forces was apparent from the start. Senator LaFollette's woolen bill, offered at first as an amendment to the Underwood bill, received but fourteen votes, those of the insurgent Republicans.

The Underwood bill itself was voted down with equal facility only the Democrats and Senator Brown, of Nebraska, supporting it. Then came Senator LaFollette's motion to re-consider the vote. Democrats, having secured their desired record vote on the Underwood bill, joined him in the vote to re-consider.

The Underwood bill then was brought back to life and Senator LaFollette offered the compromise bill that had been agreed upon. It was attached to the Underwood measure as a substitute for the terms of that bill, and passed by a vote of 48 to 32 all without a hitch or a fumble. Democrats voted solidly.

The important features of the new LaFollette bill which the Senate passed this afternoon, compared with the present law, and the Underwood House bill, are shown in the following:

Raw wool, first class: Wool on skins, present law 57.71 per cent. ad valorem; Underwood 20 per cent.; LaFollette 30 per cent. Wool not on skins, present law 47.24 per cent., Underwood 20 per cent; LaFollette 35 per cent.

Raw wool second class: Present 44.98 per cent., Underwood 20 per cent.; LaFollette 10 per cent.

Top waste, etc.: Present 98.93 per cent.;, Underwood 20 per cent.; LaFollette 25 per cent.

Shoddy, noils, etc.: Present 41 per cent., Underwood 20 per cent.; LaFollette 25 per cent.

Woolen rags, Mungo, etc.: Present 35.40 per cent., Underwood 20 per cent; LaFollette 25 per cent.

Combed tops: Present 111 per cent.; Underwood 25 per cent.; LaFollette 40 per cent.

Blankets and flannels, present 95.42 per cent.; Underwood 30 per cent.; LaFollette 55 per cent.

Clothes, dressgoods, fabrics and woolen cloth: Present 96.74; Underwood 45 per cent.; LaFollette 55 per cent.

Carpets: Present 50; Underwood 25 per cent.; LaFollette 35 per cent.

Mats and rugs: Present law 62.95 per cent.; Underwood 50 per cent; LaFollette 35 per cent.

MURDER BROKER IN HOTEL

William Henry Jackson Victim of Unknown Assailants Yesterday.

New York, July 27.—New York's sensational murder, the aged and deaf victim of which was apparently aroused from sleep in a central hotel in this city during last night to be done to his death will not be long in the solving, say police officials tonight. All but the murderer's name and address are now in their hands, they believe, in the form of many prints made by the blood stained fingers which choked and gaged William Henry Jackson, the Wall street broker, to his end. They constitute the detective's chief clue and police headquarters is sitting up tonight checking them against thousands of finger pictures stowed away in the Bertillon system records.

The man or men who killed Mr. Jackson in his room at the Iroquois Hotel in the early hours today left behind a course handkerchief, stained with blood. Several well defined imprints of fingers were found upon it and in the bath room. The bed upon which the broker fought for his life was marked with the crimson prints of his slayer's hands, and these, too, were caught by camera to strengthen the net which the police say they are casting about the murderer.

Although Mr. Jackson was beaten with a black-jack after he had been choked, death was directly due to the coarse towel stuffed in his mouth which caused strangulation as revealed by the autopsy. There was no indication that chloriform had been administered, the coroner's physician said.

In the opinion of the coroner two men did the job, having entered the sleeping man's bed chamber from the roof of an adjoining building.

The police believe only one man figured in the crime and that entry was gained from the interior of the building. The motive the police say, was robbery and profess to regard lightly a theory that the murderer sought District Attorney Whitman, whose rooms are next to those occupied by the victim, and entered the wrong room by mistake.

Mr. Whitman also scouts the idea.

After questioning the hotel employes, the police said that they were certain none of them could shed any light on the crime.

PROTEST FROM MILLER.

Against Proposed Reduction in Cotton Tariff Schedule.

Charlotte, N. C., July 27.—R. M. Miller, Jr., chairman of the tariff commission of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association, today gave out the following official statement on behalf of the association protesting against the proposed reduction in the cotton tariff schedule:

"The so-called Underwood bill on the revision of the cotton tariff schedule is a bill framed apparently solely in the interest of the 'importer and foreigner—wholly unfair and unjust to us—ignoring entirely the interest of the American cotton manufacturer and the American laborer and if enacted into law will 'turn cotton mills of our country into soup-houses.'

"Based upon today's prices of cotton yarns as best that I can figure, in order that the manufacturers of this country may meet the reductions in the proposed schedule and to compete with imported yarns, it will necessitate a cut somewhere from 25 to 50 per cent. in the wages of our cotton mill operatives. This means pauper wages to our American laborer to meet the pauper wages in Europe. Will American labor stand for it? The American cotton manufacturers protest against it."

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MANY GATHERED AT MOORE'S CREEK

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plauded upon the conclusion of his address and many crowded forward to congratulate him upon the masterful way in which he handled his subject.

In his address at the beginning of the exercises Mr. Jas. F. Moore, president of the battleground association, spoke as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen: Another year with its blessings and misfortunes has passed, and we meet here today to recount the same old story.

All of us feel to this sacred spot a common heritage, it is here we meet old friends, interchange experiences, imbibe new inspiration, and are better fitted for our duties of the future.

We are all heroes when there is no danger, all of us are successes when we encounter no great difficulties; for seven long years the mist collected and settled over our 13 colonies, but at last the morning breeze sprang up, dispelled the mist, the sun shone, old Liberty Bell pronounced the deed accomplished, the people rejoiced and a new nation was born.

Is it not meet and proper on these occasions to remind the present generation lest they forget, what they owe to those who bore the burdens of those perilous days.

The history of mankind teaches us that it was the blood of martyrs from which Christian civilization sprang, that every sacrifice for principle, that every struggle for liberty, every conflict and achievement from the dawn of civilization to the present time has been dearly bought by sacrifice and blood.

It has been said that poets learn in suffering what they teach in song, these old Revolutionary pioneers suffered, but quailed before no task; knew no failure, and to them we owe a lasting debt of gratitude.

This is a grand country and throughout all of our history runs a golden thread of manifest Providence.

It was my privilege to attend a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Utica, in the State of New York. It would have been pleasing to you to have seen the kindness the Northerners showered upon us Southerners before 60,000 people, 12,000 school children with arms extended waving old Glory, the old veterans of the Blue and Gray, some with one arm, some with one leg, and some with one eye, clasped hands across the bloody chasm of the past and pledged eternal friendship, one flag, one reunited country for all of us.

Small indeed, and insignificant must be the man who cannot see that sectionalism is forever dead.

Fellow citizens, we of this Southland, have every reason to glory in the greatness of our Republic. What great event ever happened in the United States which was not impressed by Southern blood, every notable occurrence has found Southern heroes to the front.

Tennyson in his 'Love and Duty" says: "That a man is not as God, but then most Godlike being most a man." In reading this poem our minds immediately revert to the old school Southern gentlemen with the "Missus" up at the White House, they were types of manhood and womanhood that we can well afford to hold up to the rising generation.

Life is a mixture of sunshine and shadow and while we live our places are in the world of struggle, but in our endeavor to accumulate wealth let us never forget the hospitality and chivalry bequeathed to us by our ancestors.

Life is precious, but manhood and womanhood, honor and self-respect, freedom and liberty are infinitely more so to us.

I do not believe in hero worship, but we should instill into the minds of the young the proper esteem and veneration for American heroes who have done so much to make this government what you and I enjoy today.

I believe that the future destiny of this continent is very largely in our hands and it is writ in goiden letters of a grand and glorious future. Let us then strive for a better citizenship, that our goodly influence may be felt from where the sun in his weakened glory casts his reflex rays over the gold-bearing peaks of Alaska to where the boisterous Atlantic intermingles with the Pacific in beating upon the massive rocks of the far distant Cape Horn.

Let us endeavor to make this Western continent an ideal place for men to live.

The Japanese in their war with Russia displayed magnificent courage, not only in battle but on all occasions where fortitude and self-restraint were necessary, and by their brave deeds made Japan one of the world's great powers.

England by grim determination and lion-hearted watchfulness, under the leadership of such men as William the Conqueror, and Oliver Cromwell, for more than one hundred years has been mistress of the high seas.

In that carnage of blood and destruction, the war between the States the Southern soldiers and the Northern soldiers, divided as they were, taught the world by their heroic deeds that united American soldiers would be invincible.

Permit me to predict that the hero of the future will be he who can adjust and settle differences by peaceful solution; silence cannon, sheathe swords, not by the clash of hostile weapons, not by conquest, but by brotherly love and justice, he it will be who will be the grand patriot of the next generation.

Ladies and gentlemen, I extend to you the privileges of Moore's Creek Battle Ground, and I hope that the fragrance from these cone laden pines may cause you to come again, and that the inspiration gathered from these historic surroundings may cause all of us to be patriotic American citizens.

Upon the conclusion of the exercises the audience was dismissed and dinner was enjoyed. Prominent among the good things contained in the many baskets and enjoyed to the fullest by all, might be mentioned fried Spring chicken, real country ham, roast beef, cakes, pies, preserves and pickles galore, topped with some of the most perfect specimens of that great institution, the Pender county watermelon, which will hold its own in any watermelon show in the United States.

Following the dinner the picnicers strolled about the beautiful old park, inspecting the different monuments the old breastworks thrown up by the American forces, and the site of the old bridge where the Tories, under McCloud, came to disaster.

Foretelling as it did the ultimate triumph of the Continental army over the British forces and giving the earliest promise of the birth of the new nation of which the Stars and Stripes is the emblem, the battle of Moore's Creek deserves a much more prominent place in the history of the Revolution than it now enjoys. It was here on February 27th, 1776, that the hardy little band of 1,100 immortal heroes under the command of Col Richard Caswell and Col. Alexander Lillington intercepted a force of 1,500 Tories commanded by Captain McCloud, on their way from Fayetteville to join Cornwallis and Clinton at Wilmington and defeated them, capturing about 850 men and killing about 50. Private John Grady, of Duplin county, was the only American killed in the fight. The Continentals stripped the bridge and greased the sleepers, rendering it impossible for the Tory forces to make a successful charge across the creek. While they were slowly making their way over the Americans opened fire and soon put to rout their enemies.

The battle ground is now beautiful by four monuments. One is to the memory of Caswell and Lillington and their men, one to Mary Slocumb, the heroine of the battle who rode from Goldsboro, a distance of 65 miles, to succor the wounded on the battlefield, and still another has been placed to the memory of the Scotch Highlanders and their brave commander, Captain McCloud. The inscription on this shaft states that the Scots were heroes who did their duty as they saw it and are worthy of this tribute from the descendants of the equally brave men whom they fought. The latest addition in the way of a monument is the granite tablet marking the old stage road from Fayetteville to Wilmington, which was the route followed by the Tories on the march which ended in their defeat.

During the afternoon the Confederate veterans who were present gathered and heard a number of speeches, as well as the selections of the Cape Fear Independent Band, which did splendid service in the way of furnishing the music for the day. This band is a Wilmington organization, only recently formed, but the way it acquitted itself today one would never suspect that it had been appearing in public only a few months.

Among those who addressed the veterans was Judge D. C. Allen, of the Oklahoma bench. Judge Allen is a former North Carolinian and his speech yesterday eloquently attested the love he still felt for the State of his nativity.

Others who spoke were Messrs. Jno W. West, of Wilmington; G. J. Boney of Wilmington; S. J. Rowell, of Leland, and Dr. Geo. F. Lucas, of Currie. All these gentlemen delivered splendid talks along appropriate lines and all were liberally applauded.

The weather was ideal for such an occasion, and the only two disagreeable features of the occasion were the poor train service and the hardships encountered in getting to the grounds from Currie. An immense crowd went out from Wilmington and on both the trip out in the morning and the return trip in the evening the train was most uncomfortably crowded. Several hundred, among them a number of ladies, were forced to stand up for the entire trip. At Currie the only accommodations in the way of livery were ordinary farm wagons and these are not exactly comfortable, to say nothing of the great loss of time in transferring the crowd from the train to the battleground and back.

The Battle Ground Association has been making an effort to have the railroad put in a spur track from Currie to the grounds and it is hoped that this will be done.

Aside from this the day at the battleground was one of the most enjoyable since the annual picnics became established features, and it was with a feeling of regret that the people departed as night was falling, already looking forward to the celebration next year. H. R. AIKEN.

RAILROAD TUNNEL CAVES IN.

Passenger Train Passed Through 20 Minutes Before.

Elkins, W. Va., July 25.—Tunnel No. 1, on the Coal & Iron division of the Western Maryland Railway, fell shortly after 9 o'clock this morning, 20 minutes after the morning passenger train to Durbin, carrying three coaches filled with passengers, had passed through the tunnel, which lies under Cheat Mountain.

The tunnel is being relined and the slide was probably caused by erosions resulting from excavation work. The fall extended over 70 feet and completely covered two flat cars which were a part of a work train standing in the tunnel. There were no casualties. Local livery stables sent hacks to the scene, which is only six miles from here, and conveyed eastbound passengers across Cheat Mountain.

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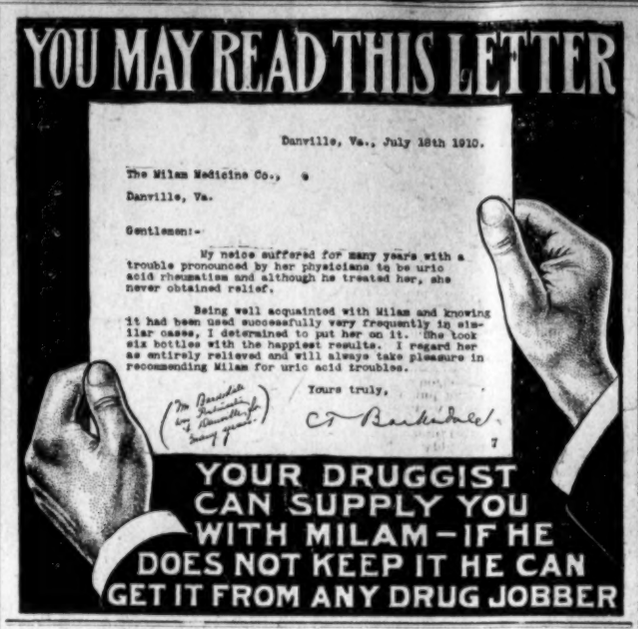
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jl 28 to Au. 8.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. W. Yates & Co.—Kodaks.
St. John's Lodge—Regular Communication.
J. M. Solky & Co. — Special Sale of Shirts.

Business Locals.

Lost—Gold Locket.
Wanted—Milk Cows.

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WANTED TO BUY—25 or 50 good milk cows. Now is the chance for you city people to sell your cows. 'Phone 4711, R. F. D. 2, Box 64, City. jy28-3t*

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THE HOLLAND NURSERIES, Castle Hayne, N. C., Our Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, Daffodils, are fine, clean stock, directly imported from Holland, will soon come in. Will be pleased to book your orders from now on. Write for prices. jy23-6t*

EXTRA FINE PEACHES today. Fresh Figs every day; Walton Creek watermelons. All kinds of vegetables. Fancy fresh meats. Try our delivery. Palace Market Co. 'Phone No. 72. jy26-tf

WANTED—Three Lumber Inspectors experienced in grading N. C. Pine and one Shed Superintendent, competent to handle cut of mill of 125,000 feet capacity. References as to ability and sobriety required. Westmoreland Lumber Corporation, R. G. Wiggins, Supt., Wiggins, S. C. jy28-7t*

TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

THE PEOPLE'S Building and Loan Association will open its 17th series of stock Saturday, August 5th. Remember the day, and take stock with this strong and progressive home builder and money-saver. Office, 206 Princess street. jy16-tf

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TWO VERY MODERN and up-to-date houses, centrally located, on car line, for rent October 1st. R. M. McIntire. jy25-6t

WANTED—Salesman for high grade line Ciders and Vinegars. Exclusive or side line; 25 per cent commission with weekly settlements. Fine opening for good man. References required. Atlantic Vinegar Co., Richmond, Va. jy26-eod-3t*

FOR RENT—New store, No. 20 Dock street, in Seaman's Friend Society building, formerly occupied by Independent Ice Co. Possession at once. Apply T. F. Wood, 16-18 N. Water street. jy16-eod10t

THE ELEGANT HOMESTEAD adjoining lots of Chas. N. Vance at Black Mountain, N. C., will be divided into lots and sold at auction Monday, Aug. 7th, at 10:30 A. M. E. M. Andrews, Manager. jy32,26,28,30;au1,3,5-7t

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